

# HICKMAN BREAKS DOWN UNDER STRAIN

## Bandit Played Lone Hand, Says L. A. Police Captain

### IMPLICATION OF 'CRAMER' CALLED BUNK

Head of Homicide Department Claims Hickman Is Fabricator in Confession  
NO SPLIT OF MONEY  
Carry on Investigation of Kidnap's Assertion He Had Two Accomplices

By DAN CAMPBELL  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
LOS ANGELES, Dec. 23.—That Edward Hickman, brilliant young student, played a lone hand in the kidnaping and brutal murder of Marion Parker is the firm opinion of Capt. William Bright, head of the sheriff's homicide detail.  
"Mostly bunk," is the way Captain Bright characterized Hickman's "confession" today, in which he admitted the kidnaping but accused "Andrew Cramer" of actually killing the girl, and named a woman as another accomplice.  
Bright pointed out that in the death threat letters which young Hickman freely admits writing that he warned Perry M. Parker, the father, that he was "doing a solo" and throughout the messages never used any pronoun but singular.  
Proves Self Fabricator  
Commenting on Hickman's Pendleton "confession," Captain Bright said that the kidnaper proved himself a fabricator by contradicting himself.  
"Hickman said the Parker girl

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### TERROR GRIPPING SOUTHLAND ABATED WITH CAPTURE OF PARKER KIDNAPER

#### Officers Find Man Named as Girl's Slayer

Kramer in Jail Since Last July; Detectives Seek June Dunning

(By United Press)  
LOS ANGELES, Dec. 23.—June Dunning, asserted by Edward Hickman to have had a hand in the kidnaping of a Marion Parker, was identified here today and a search now is under way by detectives.  
That the Dunning woman is not a fictitious person became known despite the efforts of police to shroud the "woman in the case" in mystery and she and her sister, Rose Dunning, are being sought.  
The Dunning women are known to be associates of two brothers, named Kramer, both of whom are well known police characters and are now in jail, where they have been for more than a month, eliminating them as suspects.  
In Jail Four Months  
Oliver Andrew Kramer has been confined in the Lincoln Heights jail since August 18, last, on a liquor possession charge. Kramer, police say, when questioned, admitted that he knew Hickman casually.  
Frank Kramer denied that he had ever known Hickman, although he admitted "Hickman's face was familiar." He also de-

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#### Governor Told How To Avoid Violence

Governor Young was advised today in a telegram from Attorney General Washington, of Tennessee, how to avoid violence in the Hickman case. The telegram, in part, said:  
"Order a company or regiment to Los Angeles to protect Hickman. Let the court or you take whatever steps are necessary to call a special term of the court. Let the court appoint one of the best attorneys to defend him and let him be tried and executed by law."

### HICKMAN TELLS DISTRACTED KIN NOT TO WORRY

#### Once Again Denies Murder In Message to Mother In Kansas City

(By United Press)  
PENDLETON, Ore., Dec. 23.—Edward Hickman, 19-year-old kidnaper and accused murderer, today sent a telegram to his mother, Mrs. Eva Hickman, in Kansas City, telling her "not to worry" and saying he was ready to face whatever punishment lies ahead of him.  
The telegram, carried from the jail here to the telephone office by a deputy sheriff, said:  
"Dear Mother: I've received your word and also heard from father. I've confessed all I know. I kidnaped the girl but another killed her. This is the truth and I am ready to face what comes. Don't worry, please, for I'll stand the trial alone. 'Cap' could recommend my past to authorities if he will."  
(Signed) "Edward."  
The message was sent by Hickman after he had received a telegram from his mother.  
"Be truthful and trust in God," the mother's message said. "I long to be with you. 'Cap' Edwards said for me to wait. I am praying he will let me come."  
The "Cap" Edwards referred to in the two telegrams is a friend of the Hickman family in Kansas City.

### Papers Asking Extradition On Way to Oregon

Governor Signs Application And Airplane Carries It to Salem

(By United Press)  
SACRAMENTO, Dec. 23.—Gov. C. C. Young today granted the application for extradition of William Edward Hickman, under arrest in Pendleton, Ore., and wanted by Los Angeles authorities for the kidnaping and murder of 12-year-old Marion Parker.  
The governor appointed Dwight W. Longuevan, inspector of detectives, as the state agent who will bring Hickman back to California.  
Longuevan and a party of Los Angeles officers left immediately by airplane for Salem, Ore., to present the requisition to Governor Patterson.

#### Oregon Governor Will Not Delay Extradition

SALEM, Ore., Dec. 23.—There will be no delay in honoring California's extradition request for Edward Hickman, Gov. Isaac L. Patterson, of Oregon, announced today.  
"It is rather an unnecessary question to ask my attitude toward the extradition of Hickman,"

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### MRS. GRAYSON OFF FOR HARBOR GRACE

(By United Press)  
ROOSEVELT FIELD, NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Undaunted by previous failures, Mrs. Frances Wilson Grayson in her Sikorsky amphibian plane, "The Dawn," late today took off for Harbor Grace, N. F., whence she plans a transatlantic flight.  
The plane soared aloft at 5:07 p. m.  
With Mrs. Grayson were Lt. Oskar Omdal of the Norwegian navy, pilot; Brice Goldsborough, navigator; an aradio engineer, and Fred Koehler, motor expert.

### Red Cross Sends \$2500 To Island

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The American Red Cross today cabled \$2500 to its Philippine island chapter to be used for relief of 3000 persons made homeless in the Manila fire of December 21.  
It also sent \$7000 additional to the American consul general at Zurich, Switzerland, for sufferers in the disastrous flood in Lichtenstein.

### Three Drown As Dam Is Flooded

FORT LEE, N. J., Dec. 23.—Three men were drowned today when a cofferdam being used in connection with the Fort Lee-New York bridge was flooded.

### Register's Hickman Extra

True to its slogan, "First With the Latest," The Register yesterday scored a signal beat in publishing the first news of the capture of the arch-fiend Edward Hickman, confessed kidnaper of Marion Parker, in Pendleton, Ore.  
The Register was on the streets of Santa Ana with its first extra more than two hours earlier than the Los Angeles papers. Practically every town in Orange county was "covered" by The Register extra within an hour after the capture of Hickman.  
The "flash" from the United Press wire, telling of Hickman's capture, was received over The Register printer machine at 2:05 p. m. Exactly 11 minutes later the huge press was grinding out the first extra. In a few moments more it was on the streets.  
Ten minutes later a more complete extra was published and at 3 o'clock all the details were on the street in a third extra.  
Practically every subscriber of The Register received his paper, delivered to his home, before the Los Angeles extras arrived in Santa Ana.  
Between 4000 and 5000 extra copies of The Register were sold on the streets. These, in addition to the regular subscription list, made the total paid circulation of yesterday's Register nearly 17,000, the largest in its history.

#### Over Million Extras Sold In L. A.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 23.—The Parker murder case will go down in journalistic history on the Pacific coast as the greatest newspaper story of all times, it was predicted here today.  
It was estimated that more than a million extras were sold within the city limits a few hours after Edward Hickman was captured.  
Giant presses speeded to capacity roared for hours turning out extra editions but were unable to supply the demand.

### MANY PERSONS MAY SHARE IN REWARD PURSE

#### Should Hickman Never Go To Trial Award Total Would Shrink

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 23.—Should Edward Hickman become a victim of circumstances which would prevent his trial or fail to be convicted, the total of the rewards offered in connection with the kidnaping and murder of 12-year-old Marion Parker would shrink in size, it became apparent here today.  
It also was seen that Tim Gurdane, chief of police in Pendleton, Ore., and Buck Lleuallen, Oregon state traffic officer, the two men who made the actual capture, may not get all of the money offered. A survey showed about \$75,000 in rewards pledged to date.  
The committee in charge of the awards was endeavoring to determine just how far back along the trail which led "The Fox" apprehension they should go in distributing the money.  
May Take Weeks  
The committee may take several weeks, or wait until after the trial, to announce its decision.  
Thousands have insisted that a large share of the reward should go to Sgt. L. H. Barlow, Los Angeles police department fingerprint expert. It was Barlow who

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### WIFE OF BROKER SEEKING DIVORCE

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 23.—Mrs. Elaine Anderson, wife of Hoxie Anderson, Los Angeles and Oklahoma investment broker, had on file here today a divorce suit in which she named Dorothy Raymond as co-respondent.  
Mrs. Anderson charged that her husband and Miss Raymond lived together in Long Beach in September. She listed community property, including Oklahoma Oil lands, to the extent of \$300,000 and fixed her husband's income at \$8500 a month. The Andersons were married in April, 1920, and separated last February, according to the complaint.

### Extradition to Be Surrounded With Secrecy

Pathetic Scenes as Grand Jury Votes Indictment Against Hickman

(By United Press)  
LOS ANGELES, Dec. 23.—The terrifying nightmare which has beclouded the Christmas holidays in the southwest abated somewhat today as the machinery of California's justice ground swiftly to avenge the butchery of Marion Parker.  
His identity revealed in a 19-year-old boy, Edward Hickman, "The Fox," who kidnaped the 12-year-old school girl, was none the less hated and despised today, but with his capture, the fear and terror which he spread has gone.  
For the first time in weeks, mothers and fathers tucked little ones into bed last night with the feeling that a shadow which "The Fox" had cast over their cribs had disappeared while the highest officials of peace enforcement sped north to bring back the boy-fiend.  
Recognize Grave Danger  
Recognizing the grave danger that surrounds Hickman's return to Los Angeles, his extradition is to be carried out with the utmost secrecy. Chief of Detectives Herman Cline intimated before his departure, with Police Chief James Davis and District Attorney Asa Keyes, for Pendleton, Ore.  
Two detectives accompanied the group which entrained at 6:05.  
It was reported here that Hickman was to be brought to the northern borders of California by train or fast motor car and from there transported south with the greatest of secrecy in an airplane. Officials, however, refused to comment on the subject.  
Pathetic scenes were re-enacted here last night at a special session of the county grand jury when Perry M. Parker, the broken-hearted father, repeated to the jurors his story of the kidnaping and murder of his child.  
Scream Penetrates Doors  
A loud scream penetrated the heavy doors of the grand jury room as the father, his nerves strained almost beyond human endurance during the last week, broke down as he relived the brutal scene of Saturday night, when

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### YOUTHFUL KIDNAPER STICKS TO DENIAL OF MURDERING CHILD; BLAMES HIS 'PAL'

Admits He Returned Dismembered Body to Father, But Insists 'Cramer' Killed Marion Parker

#### CRIES AS MOTHER MENTIONED

(By United Press)  
PENDLETON, Ore., Dec. 23.—The frayed nerves of Edward Hickman gave way today, as he waited in his cell in the Pendleton jail to be returned to Los Angeles to face an indictment charging him with kidnaping and murdering Marion Parker.  
Tears replaced the air of indifference with which he related the story of the kidnaping of the 12-year-old girl and the return of her mutilated body to her father in Los Angeles, last Saturday night.  
"What will your mother think of this?" he was asked.  
"If I had anything to say to my mother it would be to tell her that I am not guilty of murder and not to worry," he answered brokenly.  
The tears streamed down his cheeks as the name of his mother was mentioned.  
"There is no use bothering her," he added. "She hasn't enough money to do anything and may as well stay at home and try to bear it."  
As Hickman was questioned, he clutched a pink pamphlet in his hand which had been given him by the Rev. W. M. Robbins, a Pendleton minister.  
"GOD SAVED HIM"  
"It tells about a fellow in some what the same fix I am in," he said. "It says God saved him."  
A telegram received from Hickman's father was held up by authorities today and the accused youth was not permitted to see it.  
The telegram asked for a statement as to whether he was innocent or guilty.  
Local officers will be ready to turn Hickman over to California authorities just as soon as extradition papers are brought here, it was announced today.  
No definite arrangements for the return will be completed until the extradition papers are received, authorities said.  
STICKS TO DENIAL  
Hickman, brilliant young Kansas City high school graduate, who turned kidnaper for the sake of a

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### POSSIBILITY OF MOB JUSTICE SEEMS REMOTE

Hundreds Gather at Bastille But No Attempt Made To Lynch Hickman

(By United Press)  
PENDLETON, Ore., Dec. 23.—Streets that were almost deserted early today filled rapidly at sunrise and a crowd of several hundred soon gathered in front of the city jail here, but the possibility of Edward Hickman, 19, being lynched in Oregon seemed very remote.  
There is a loyalty to police officers in this region that has become almost axiomatic. When an

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### KIDNAPER BELIEVES HIS FOOLISHNESS IN NOT CHANGING CARS LED TO ARREST

PENDLETON, Ore., Dec. 23.—Edward Hickman, confessed kidnaper of little Marion Parker and accused of her murder, awoke today to the realization that after his extraordinary smartness in evading Los Angeles police, downright foolishness on his part resulted in his capture.  
It was a bitter pill for the self styled "Fox," who obviously prided himself on his mental powers and on the ease with which he had outwitted Los Angeles authorities.  
"That green automobile is the thing which furnished the clues to policemen in Pendleton and is probably what will place me on the gallows," Hickman said as he resumed discussion of the crime after heartily enjoying his breakfast of fried eggs, sandwiches and coffee.

### Father Will Stand By His Son

EL PASO, Tex., Dec. 23.—Thomas Hickman, father of Edward Hickman, will stand by his son.  
"I couldn't believe he murdered the girl," he said.  
"I want to see him punished to the extent that he is guilty. I will be ready to help him all I can and I may be able to furnish him money to retain an attorney."  
Hickman's father is a steam shovel man, employed by the Southern Pacific railway.

#### TRIAL RECESSED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The Sinclair-Burns contempt case recessed this afternoon until January 3.

### Car Stolen Sunday

The Hudson car, according to Hickman's story, was stolen in Los Angeles Sunday. Then it was driven to San Francisco, where he claimed he was to meet "Andrew Cramer," the man he blamed for the actual killing of 12-year-old Marion.  
In Seattle the youth made the fatal mistake of cashing one of the \$20 gold certificates which Parker

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### TWO BANK CLERKS CONFESS THEFTS

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Two Los Angeles bank clerks arrested here today confessed, police said, to embezzling \$50,000 from the Securities Trust and Savings bank, Los Angeles.  
The two were William E. Hays, 5, 5075 Romaine street, and L. Grossman, 23, 2224 1-2 Bentley street.

#### FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:



If wives knew what stenographers think of their husbands, they wouldn't worry.

### WILBUR WILL VISIT SCENE OF DISASTER

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Secretary of Navy Wilbur announced late this afternoon he would leave tonight for Provincetown, Mass., with Adm. Charles F. Hughes, chief of naval operations, to obtain first hand information on the work of raising the submarine S-4.

### Wishes Onlookers Merry Christmas And Then Hanged

URBANA, Ill., Dec. 23.—After he had wished 200 persons assembled for his execution a "merry Christmas and a happy New Year," Hershel Andrews, Indianapolis negro, was hanged at sunrise today for the murder, last Christmas morning, of Thomas Tate, Champaign negro.

### Noted Composer Feared Murdered

PARIS, Dec. 23.—Fearing that Gaston Le Maire, noted music composer, has been murdered, Le Maire's friends today appealed to police to seek him. Le Maire disappeared from his home November 27.

### INGLEWOOD MAN IS CLEARED OF MURDER

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 23.—Arthur R. Van de Mark, Inglewood automobile dealer, was acquitted by a jury in superior court here of the murder of H. C. Mitchell. Mitchell was shot last September 18 during an alleged liquor party at the defendant's Inglewood home. The accused man's defense was that other members of the party scuffled with him for possession of the gun which was accidentally discharged.

### REMUS OPENS FIGHT AT SANITY HEARING

CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 23.—The three alienists who will determine whether George Remus is sane, retired, with Remus, to Probate Judge William H. Leuders' chambers today to begin their examination.  
Remus, former millionaire bootlegger, was found not guilty of the murder of his wife, Imogene, on the "sole ground of insanity." He must now prove himself sane to obtain his liberty.  
Remus still is seeking his release on bond so that he may spend Christmas out of jail.



## 'FOX' PLAYED GAME ALONE, SAYS OFFICER

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was not killed in the Bellevue Arms apartment house," Captain Bright continued. "We know that she was killed there. If his statement is wrong in that, it is discredited in other details."

"If this was not a one-man job, why did Hickman have on his person \$1500 of the \$1500 he collected from the father?" Bright questioned.

"If there had been partners, there would have been a split of the money before the trio separated," Hickman did not leave Los Angeles until 24 hours after the body had been delivered and the ransom collected. That fact has been established through the report of the owner of the stolen green Hudson car," Bright declared.

**Doesn't Believe Explanation**  
Bright said he did not believe Hickman's explanation that he was to meet Cramer at the Harris hotel, in San Francisco, and that the spoils were to be divided at the hotel.

Notwithstanding the belief of the sheriff's men that Hickman is the one man responsible for the crime, Captain Bright said that the homicide detail would make every effort to locate the "accomplices."

Check has been made of all the "Cramers" and "Kramers" who had been in jail in the last few months and they were eliminated as possible accomplices, according to Captain Bright.

An investigation has also been made to ascertain if the accomplices might not be included in the list of Hickman's acquaintances in the vicinity of Alhambra, his former home, the head of the homicide detail said.

Two of the sheriff's men, it was disclosed, were the first to begin a scientific examination of room 315 in the Bellevue Arms apartment house.

**Surrounded Apartment**  
On Sunday a cordon of police had surrounded the apartment house and police detectives interviewed Hickman, who had asked if he might not be of assistance in the search for the kidnaper, it is said.

The police left without arresting the youth, who was presumed to be a harmless "nut" who spent most of his time with his "musical instruments."

That night Hickman left his apartment never to return, according to the theory of the sheriff's office.

On the following day, upon the insistence of deputy sheriffs that the blood stained towel found with the body of the murdered girl and bearing the words, "Bellevue Arms Apartments," was an important clue that should be run down, two of the sheriff's men occupied the deserted room.

**Found Blood Stains**  
They found stains that were in-

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he said. "There will be no delay whatsoever."

"As soon as I receive the request from Governor Young I will present the papers to Attorney General Van Winkle for his approval as to their form."

"This step will be taken to close any loophole over technicalities by which Hickman might attempt to escape justice."

"The minute the attorney general has gone over the papers they will receive my signature."

The extradition papers are expected here tomorrow.

## MANY MAY SHARE IN REWARD PURSE

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Identified the mysterious "Fox" as Hickman after comparing a fingerprint on the death car captured here with those in the voluminous police files.

Still another nominee for a share in the fortune is George W. Willoughby, the Seattle haberdasher, who first established Hickman's presence in the Pacific northwest. Willoughby cashed a \$20 gold certificate for Hickman in Seattle the night before the youth was captured, then notified the police and the final drive was on.

It has been officially announced that the state of California will pay its \$1000 reward only if Hickman is convicted. The state has not indicated to whom its money will be paid.

**Biggest Sum From KFWB**  
The largest reward so far is that of radio station KFWB, Warner Brothers, which has collected nearly \$27,000 in cash. It was said that the station had received promises of \$50,000 more.

In addition there are other sources, among which are: Radio KMTR, \$6750; Mayor Cryer, Los Angeles, \$1000; state of California, \$1000; County of Los Angeles, \$5000; and city of Los Angeles, \$10,000.

disputably of blood, on the floor, on the wall, on the wash bowl and on the bath tub. They also noted the markings on clothing left behind by Hickman and definitely traced these markings to an Alhambra cleaning establishment.

Some of the clothing they traced back to Kansas City, to which place they also traced a set of golf clubs and balls.

Kansas City newspapers, also found in the room, strengthened their convictions that the occupant had been Hickman.

Captain Bright said his men would continue to do everything to assist in clearing up the "accomplice" angle of the case, but they believe that the manhunt for the murderer of the Parker child ended on the Columbia river highway at Echo, Ore.

## FOX BREAKS UNDER STRAIN; STICKS TO MURDER DENIAL

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college education, today stuck doggedly to his denial of killing Marion Parker.

Hickman retold how he kidnapped the 12-year-old daughter of a Los Angeles banker, in the hope of making "easy money" to enter college.

He freely admitted he was the man who returned the girl's dismembered and mutilated body to her father in Los Angeles last Saturday night.

But throughout his confession he denied again and again that he killed the girl.

The actual killer, Hickman asserted, was Andrew Cramer, a name that has not heretofore figured in the investigation of Marion's death.

"My Pal Did It"  
Each question regarding the murder of Marion was parried with the answers that "my pal did it."

Although a search was started in Los Angeles for a man who might be Andrew Cramer mentioned by Hickman, authorities here were inclined to believe the individual was a creation of the kidnaper's imagination.

At one time in his rambling stories, Hickman told officers in the county jail that there was a woman with Cramer. He gave her name as June Dunning.

Every precaution was being taken to guard against the possibility of attempted mob violence, though there has been no demonstration of hostility here.

On the return trip to Los Angeles the guard will be ample to meet any emergency that may arise.

**Visited By Minister**  
Hickman was visited in his cell by the Rev. W. H. Robbins, pastor of the First Baptist church, of Pendleton. As the minister, with a Bible tucked under his arm, entered the narrow cell, Hickman turned away.

"I don't want religion now," he said. "It's too late. I'd feel like a hypocrite to accept comfort from a minister."

Hickman slept the sleep of the exhausted last night. It was the first real sleep he had had since he slipped out of Los Angeles shortly after the crime became known.

He was almost completely exhausted from sleepless nights and hard driving to keep ahead of his pursuers when trapped near here yesterday.

Today he appeared greatly refreshed and talked cheerfully with all who were permitted to enter his cell.

**Shows Little Concern**  
Aside from momentary periods of remorse, Hickman showed little concern over the crime of which he is accused.

His greatest anxiety seemed to be whether he was getting much publicity in eastern newspapers.

"I wonder whether they will print it like they did the story of the murder of the Franks boy, by Nathan Leopold and Richard Loeb," he said.

Although public resentment at the revolting crime has aroused to just as high a pitch in Pendleton as in all other towns of the Pacific coast, the prospect of an attempt to lynch him here was regarded as remote today.

The feeling prevailed among citizens that swift justice will be dealt out to the kidnaper in the courts when he is returned to Los Angeles.

**Guarded Throughout Night**  
Throughout the night a guard was maintained about the Pendleton jail, but few persons passed the building after midnight.

Early today the crowd began gathering again and before 7 a. m. there were several hundred persons around the jail.

A deadline was established and all persons except those having passes were kept outside a roped off area.

A rumor spread like wildfire about Pendleton early today that Hickman had been secretly removed in an airplane and some citizens were ready to swear they had heard the whir of the propeller.

But at the jail official assurance was given that Hickman was still there and the crowds lingered in the hope of getting a glimpse of him. The only time Hickman seemed seriously concerned over the deed was when the name of Perry M. Parker, father of Marion, was mentioned.

"I want to meet him face to face and tell him I did not kill her," he said. "If the girl were only alive, I'd be willing to die."

**Shows Friendly Feeling**  
This statement from Hickman showing a friendly feeling for the father of Marion, tended to explode the theory in Los Angeles that revenge was the motive for the kidnapping and killing.

The theory of revenge was based on the fact that Perry Parker, the assistant cashier of the First National Bank and Trust company, in Los Angeles, where Hickman had been discharged for forgery, refused to give him back his job.

Hickman said in his confession that the only motive in the kidnapping was to get easy money.

He told how he had engaged in petty holdups in Los Angeles for some weeks and then decided to kidnap a girl and collect "big ransom money."

The thought of kidnapping Marion occurred to him, he said, because he had frequently seen her come to the bank while he was working there.

He noticed, Hickman said, that Marion seemed to be a favorite of her father and he thought it would be easy to collect \$1500 from him.

**Awakened Early Today**  
Hickman almost dropped off to sleep several times while being questioned last night and when he was finally left alone in his cell he was sound asleep in a few moments. He was awakened early to-

day. He ate a hearty breakfast and quietly awaited the time for his return to Los Angeles.

In a lengthy confessional document given to Umatilla county officers, Hickman confessed to participation in the crime of kidnapping Marion Parker, but denied the actual slaying.

He said he went to school, told the teacher that Perry Parker, the girl's father, had been injured in an accident and took her away with him.

He also admitted returning the mutilated body to the father and accepting \$1500 ransom money, but declared that Andrew Cramer killed and cut up the body unbeknown to him. The confession states he met Cramer and a woman he remembers vaguely as June Dunning in San Diego. He worked with Cramer in numerous holdups and then agreed to join with him in the kidnapping plot.

**Describes Return to Coast**  
In the confession he described in detail how he left his home in Kansas City and finally arrived in Los Angeles, where he had lived previously.

"It is rather an unnecessary that I met Cramer and a woman. I think her name was June Dunning," he said. "I had been living by holdups and thought it would be more profitable to work with an older man. Cramer was about 28 years old."

Then followed a tale of joining with Cramer in a plot to kidnap some one and deciding on Marion Parker because "I had worked in the First National bank, of Los Angeles, and knew how fond Parker was of Marion."

But Hickman stoutly maintained that he did not kill the child, that he knew nothing of Cramer's apparent intent to do so and that he regretted it to the extent that "I felt like killing myself."

The confession related that Hickman went to the school and told the teacher that Parker had been injured and that he was calling for Marion. Then he took Marion away.

**"Good Little Kid"**  
"She was a good little kid," he said. "I liked her and she didn't want to go with Cramer, but I wanted to stay with me. But we had to carry out our plan, which was for Cramer to hide the girl and for me to collect the money which I wanted to use in going through college."

Cramer was more interested in the idea of kidnapping a child than in getting money. He only wanted \$200 or \$300 of the \$1500 which we asked for in letters signed 'The Fox,' which I wrote."

But last Saturday, the day when Cramer was to bring Marion to Hickman's apartment, according to the confession he came with a suitcase only.

"Where is the girl?" Hickman said he asked Cramer, who grinned and opened the suitcase, displaying the mutilated body of the child, he said.

**Says He Screamed**  
"I screamed and asked why he had 'gone ahead.' Cramer replied: 'She started crying and I had to stop her.'"

"As long as he had 'gone ahead' we decided to do what we could to get the money anyway. I thought Parker would be glad to get his daughter back regardless of her condition."

An appointment was then made with Parker and Hickman met him last Saturday night and collected the \$1500 in gold certificates.

Taking the money and driving on for a short distance, he tossed the butchered body to the curb and sped away.

"She looked rather natural," Hickman said. "Cramer had put on her dress and her eyelids were sewed to her eyebrows and she looked all right at first glance."

"She had been cut through the middle. I don't know what became of the other pieces, which Cramer did not give me. I guess he threw them away where police say they were found."

Asked to explain how it was that officers found \$1420 of the \$1500 in his possession, if he had an accomplice, he explained that Cramer failed to keep an appointment with him at the Herald hotel, in San Francisco.

"I stole the Hudson," he said, "and drove to San Francisco. Cramer wasn't there, so I headed north because Southern California was so wrought up."

His route from La Moine to Seattle and back to Portland and then eastward, as reported by the United Press prior to his capture, was mentioned in the confession.

"I treated her as I would my own sister," Hickman said today, when first visitors were allowed and at this the calm deputy sheriffs who were present scowled.

"I loved her and still do," he continued.

Hickman ate a hearty breakfast of egg sandwiches and coffee, but later gave way to frayed nerves.

**New Clogs In Package Found By Rail Employee**

RICH GROVE, Cal., Dec. 23.—Discovery of a blood-stained bundle hidden under a bush near the Tulare-Kern county line near here was revealed today with the possibility that the package had some connection with the Marion Parker murder case.

The package contained blood-stained bath towels torn into bandages, a pair of woman's silk hose, one of which was slashed in two and covered with blood and a pair of men's socks.

**Anti-Dump Order Not To Be Issued**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Secretary of the Treasury Mellon announced today that the treasury has decided not to issue against Germany an anti-dumping order against importation of steel products from that country.

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officer performs well the populace is for him and residents of Pendleton and surrounding cities are singing praises of Chief Tom Gurdane and Officer Buck Lueallen, who arrested the notorious young fugitive yesterday.

Wherever two or more persons gather there are whisperings that these two officers might lose their reward if harm should befall Hickman, the accused slayer and kidnaper of little Marion Parker, in Los Angeles, 1st week.

Consequently Hickman's life is comparatively safe from mob violence as long as he stays here.

General feeling is just as much against Hickman here as it is in any other part of the United States, however, and he has been bitterly assailed from the moment of his incarceration in the local bastille.

## TERROR ABATED WITH CAPTURE OF ABDUCTOR

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a mutilated and torn body was returned in place of a living child. He was followed to the stand by Dr. A. F. Wagner, county autopsy surgeon and friend of the Parker family, who, although unable to fix the cause of Marion's death, told of the despicable butchery upon the little body.

Teachers at the Mount Vernon high school, from which institution Marion was spirited away, and H. L. Barlow, fingerprint expert, who first revealed the identity of "The Fox," took the stand also and the jury quickly followed with a murder indictment.

**Alleged Accomplices Sought**  
Meanwhile, "June Dunning" and "Andrew Cramer," accomplices named by Hickman in his confession of the kidnapping of Marion, were the objects of a search nearly as wide as that for Hickman.

The location of the "murder house" where the child was dismembered, still remains a mystery. Hickman's inability or refusal to tell the location of the place where he turned the child over to "Cramer" Friday night has temporarily halted the search here.

Somewhere near the Elysian park district, where the mutilated remnants of Marion's body were discovered wrapped in newspapers, detectives are certain they will discover a house used as a rendezvous by the brutal trio.

The "murder house," police believe, will uncover fingerprints, the sharp instruments that were used to slay the girl and conclusive evidence as to the true identity of the remaining fugitives.

The only clue to the mysterious "June Dunning" was found in the Los Angeles police identification bureau, where a woman whose name "Jenny V. Dunning," is listed. The woman is wanted in Sacramento, where, in 1921, she used the alias, "Jean Laughton."

**June Dunning Known**  
Early today, Chief of Police George O. Brissols, of Phoenix, Ariz., dispatched a telegram to Los Angeles in which he declared "June Dunning" was known to him under the alias of "Mrs. Jean Farran" and in July was living in the 500 block on South Main street here.

Later she moved to the Merchants' hotel, First and Broadway, San Diego, and was there November 4, Brissols said.

A search of records in rooming houses and hotels here failed to reveal any trace of Mrs. Farran, but police believe that hotel registers in San Diego may link the woman with Hickman's confession.

For the last several months a so-called daring bandit queen has been operating in Southern California. She has been variously reported as wearing different colored wigs, although there is little doubt that each of the robberies reported has been perpetrated by the same person.

**Credited With Robberies**  
San Diego, also, has notified Los Angeles police of a woman who answers closely the description given by Hickman. Robberies there prior to several weeks ago were attributed to the activities of this woman bandit. Hickman declared he picked up his two companions in the southern city.

Because of the accurate reports of the bandit queen here and in San Diego, police are working on the theory that she is the same person and are pressing a new search for Jenny Dunning in the belief that she may be linked with the Parker murder.

That the woman and Cramer are in Los Angeles is probable, police agree. As late as early today a man was reported in Salinas, enroute here, who answers the description of "Cramer."

Harold Jones, of Culver City, reported to police that he was driving from San Francisco with his mother last night and in Salinas they were approached by a man in a gasoline station.

Jones said the man appeared tired, nervous and had not shaved for some time.

**Said He Was Student**  
"Are you going to Los Angeles?" he asked Jones "I am a college student in Berkeley and I am trying to get home to my mother over the holidays," he added.

Jones replied that he could not take the man with him as his small car would not accommodate another passenger. The man declared that he probably would pick up a ride before the night was over.

Upon arriving here, Jones immediately notified Captain of Detectives Al Slater of the occur-

## SEES MISTAKE IN NOT HAVING CHANGED AUTO

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paid him last Saturday for the return of the body of his daughter.

Then Portland police learned that he had driven a green sedan from La Moine, in Shasta county, Calif., to Portland and that he had left here for Seattle.

Thursday morning, with the entire Pacific northwest on edge, Fred King, service station proprietor, reported the now familiar green Hudson had replenished its fuel at his service station, located at the junction of a highway from Seattle and leaving toward eastern Oregon.

**Had Doubled Back**  
"The Fox" had doubled back in the hope of throwing his pursuers off the trail.

That word was broadcast to more than 200 towns and cities in which police were participating in the greatest, although brief manhunt in the history of Oregon and Washington.

Realizing that all roads in eastern Oregon, in a general way, lead toward Pendleton, officers in that city guarded all roads. In the afternoon this precaution resulted in two officers seeing the green sedan and stopping it with drawn guns.

**Leads To Capture**  
But he didn't grab a Ford, choosing to retain the Hudson with its greater speed. That led to his capture.

Hickman's contention that he did not actually kill the girl remained unshaken today. He replied always the same to his questioners: "Andrew Cramer did it."

Once he had started talking, Hickman commented freely on the crime, but to officers only. Again, as yesterday, he was closely guarded and only officials were permitted to talk to him.

rence and gave a detailed description of the suspect.

Wearing a tan suit, a brownish grey overcoat and a dark necktie, the man appeared to weigh approximately 140 to 150 pounds and to be 5 feet, 11 inches in height. On his chin were two bumps, scarcely noticeable through the unshaven beard.

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## The Weather

San Francisco Bay Region—Cloudy and unsettled tonight and Saturday; probably rain Saturday; moderate temperature; gentle southerly winds.

San Joaquin Valley—Fair in south and unsettled in north portion and Saturday; frost in south portion tonight; gentle variable winds.

Los Angeles and vicinity—Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday with moderate temperature.

Southern California—Fair tonight and Saturday but becoming unsettled in west portion Saturday; local frosts tonight; gentle variable winds.

Temperatures—For Santa Ana and vicinity for 24-hour period ending at 6 o'clock today: maximum, 65; minimum, 24.

## Notices of Intention to Marry

Eston E. Webb, 21, San Diego, Dorothy E. Lumbard, 17, Arkansas City, Kansas.

George T. Herberger, 35, Mabel E. Hofer, 23, Long Beach.

Jose Hernandez, 28, Los Angeles, Magdalena Ramirez, 25, Hollywood.

Curry S. McMahon, 30, Genevieve Losh, 29, Los Angeles.

Miguel Gomez, 55, Cruz R. Munoz, 33, Los Angeles.

James E. Hall, 37, San Francisco, Theresa Odum, 33, San Antonio, Texas.

James L. Miller, 35, Esther Ackley, 33, San Diego.

Sam Stollar, 36, Santa Ana, Elsie K. Goddickson, 23, Orange.

## Marriage Licenses Issued

John Schleifer, 45, Pauline Knodel, 30, Los Angeles.

Robert J. Anderson, 46, Philemon E. Hussey, 49, San Diego.

Charles F. Saxon, 28, Mercedes E. Davoust, 21, Los Angeles.

William T. McCabe, 43, Mary A. Conley, 49, Los Angeles.

Harvey W. Adamson, 24, Long Beach, Nellie W. Wampler, 24, Los Angeles.

Edward A. Mackie, 23, Ocean Park, Grace E. Scott, 22, Beverly Hills.

Lawrence C. Cameron, 24, San Bernardino, Catherine M. Maroon, 19, Santa Ana.

Erskine M. Gelabert, 39, Isidra Bocquet, 41, Los Angeles.

Louis F. Buchele, 42, Irene T. Nelson, 25, Los Angeles.

## Birth Notices

SALVIDGE—To Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Salvidge, Santa Ana, Route No. 6, at home, December 22, a son.

## Death Notices

**A WORD OF COMFORT**

Some people are only partial. They may be big and strong, but apparently without conscience. They may be big and strong, but cowardly at heart. They may be reverent in manner, but secretly selfish, arrogant and blasphemous.

See to it that the whole man is alive within you, so that you dare to be what you seem and to seem what you are. Sincerity is an elemental virtue; without it you cannot weather the storms; possessed of it you become unconquerable.

**RITNER**—At the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. R. Marshall, 2301 North Baker, December 22, 1927, Mrs. Mary A. Ritner, aged 73 years. Funeral services will be held Tuesday, December 27th, at 10 a. m. from Smith and Tuttle's chapel, Rev. Burlingame officiating. Interment Fairhaven cemetery. Mrs. Ritner is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Mabel Elliott, Mrs. John A. Newcomer and Mrs. Marshall all of Santa Ana and two sons, Harvey A. and Alva Ritner, of Tustin; also two sisters, Mrs. Effie M. Crawford of Tustin and Mrs. Jennie Barr of Winfield, Iowa.

**OWEN**—In Los Angeles, December 21, 1927, Frederick J. Owen, aged 39 years. Husband of Mrs. Rose Owen, 843 North Barton street. Funeral services will be tomorrow at a. m. from Smith and Tuttle's chapel, Interment Fairhaven cemetery.

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## Senator Passes His Own Measure

**MANILA**, Dec. 23.—Staging that the local press terms "a marvelous legislative feat," Senator Alegre passed his own bill and authorization board reorganization bill through the senate with a present and one voting. Of the three senators in the chamber at the time of the vote, he presided and the other remained from voting. Senator Alegre voted "aye" on his own measure. Legality of the move is being vigorously questioned by its opponents.

## Roger N. Baldwin To Be Represented

**NEW YORK**, Dec. 23.—Back home from Europe, Roger N. Baldwin, director in the American Civil Liberties union, will be sentenced January 6 to six months' imprisonment for unlawful assembly in connection with the Paterson, N. J., textile strike, 1925.

The first appeal of Baldwin, who was charged with helping organize strikers' meeting, was adverse, but another will be filed after he is resented, his attorney said.

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## Local Briefs

Charged with possession of liquor, G. Belmontes, 19, Placentia barber, was arrested yesterday afternoon and lodged in the county jail by Jesse Buckles, deputy sheriff. The arrest was made in Placentia.

An automobile reported to have been driven by John Foster, 328 West Twenty-fifth street, Los Angeles, was confiscated by Seal Beach police officers yesterday afternoon after the car collided with another machine and Foster is said to have jumped out and ran away.

## CAPTURERS OF HICKMAN WILL SPLIT REWARD

**PENDLETON**, Ore., Dec. 23.—Edward Hickman was captured by a farmer and a former rodeo performer after thousands of metropolitan police and detectives had hunted him for days for the killing of Marion Parker.

The arrest was made by Tom Gurdane, chief of police of Pendleton, assisted by Buck Lieualten. Gurdane quit the plow when he was chosen chief of police of Pendleton, while Lieualten won fame in this section of the northwest by his rodeo performances for a number of years. Five years ago he became a motorcycle officer.

Both simple, straightforward men of the eastern Oregon country, the two hardly knew how to act in the face of fame that suddenly came to them when they stopped Hickman's car yesterday on the road near Pendleton.

At least four lucrative contracts today awaited their signatures if they wish to go into vaudeville and cash in on the notoriety.

In addition they probably will receive practically the entire \$100,000 reward offered for the capture of Hickman, according to the latest information from Los Angeles. They plan to split 50-50 whatever money they secure from the reward fund.

Both seemed somewhat dazed today by the offers that came pouring in, but they indicated they probably would accept one of the vaudeville offers.

## REED NOT TO SEEK SENATE SEAT AGAIN

**KANSAS CITY**, Mo., Dec. 23.—Senator James A. Reed today set at rest conflicting reports regarding his future political activity by announcing that he will not run for the senate next year.

"In order to remove all doubt on this question," Reed said, "I want to say now that I am not going to be a candidate for the senate next year."

## Fish Stories To Be Broadcast

**MIAMI**, Fla., Dec. 23.—Radio fans, generally speaking, have managed to withstand the rigors of bed time stories.

They have borne up well under lectures on home economics and proper feeding of infants.

Fortitude marked their subjection to the avalanche of discussions of fallen arches and the treatment of acute dandruff, to say nothing of the throaty yodeling of home talent singers.

But the effect of the latest of radio features undoubtedly will settle once and for all the permanency of radio.

## King Of Belgium In Research Move

**BRUSSELS**, Dec. 23.—King Albert, seconded by some of the great industrialists and financiers, has begun a movement for the creation in Belgium of a permanent museum and a laboratory for scientific research which it is proposed to develop into a center of study where all nations will be invited to exhibit in 1930 the best specimens of scientific equipment.

## Flyer Of Kite Is Victim Of Current

**BERLIN**, Dec. 23.—Kite flying proved fatal to Wilhelm Steinfurth, 25, of Lassan, near Stuttgart, when he was helping his little sister raise her new kite which had copper wire for string. The kite made a sudden plunge and came in contact with a high power cable. The 5,000 volt current killed Steinfurth instantly.

## HICKMAN GETS GOOD SLEEP IN PENDLETON JAIL

(By United Press)

**PENDLETON**, Ore., Dec. 23.—Any rumors to the effect that William Edward Hickman has been spirited away from the Pendleton city jail by airplane are unfounded.

Hickman spent a quiet night, making up some very much needed sleep. He seems to have relaxed somewhat from his trying moments of the last few days and the strain of attempting to elude the officers of the law of the entire country.

The prisoner has shown but very little emotion since he was taken into custody.

In fact the one and only time he seemed very much perturbed by the deed was when the girl's father, Perry M. Parker, was mentioned.

**Wants to Face Parker**

"I want to meet him face to face and tell him I did not kill her," he stated. "If the girl only were alive, I'd be willing to die."

He carried a fluent conversation during the entire early part of the night with L. R. Connor, Pendleton city water employee, one of several local men who had been pressed into service in the emergency to supplement the small local force of Pendleton policemen.

He laughed numerous times and joked with Connor, meanwhile giving full details of his flight from Los Angeles. He was highly interested in the amount of publicity being given his story by the daily press throughout the country. "Are they putting out extras in this town?" he asked. And, again, "Do you think they have extras out in Los Angeles by this time?"

## MURDER OF WOMAN CHARGED TO DOCTOR

**CHICAGO**, Dec. 23.—Charges of murder were filed against Dr. Amante Rongetti, head of the Ashland boulevard hospital, today as the result of a coroner's inquest into the death of a 19-year-old girl and her baby.

Dr. Rongetti performed an illegal operation on Loretta J. Enders, which resulted in her death, two nurses of the hospital testified before Coroner Oscar Wolfe. The newly-born babe then was permitted to die of neglect and its body ordered burned by Dr. Rongetti, the nurses said.

## NEW CHEVROLET TO BE OUT JANUARY 1

**DETROIT**, Mich., Dec. 23.—A new model Chevrolet will be placed on the market January 1, President W. S. Knudson, of the Chevrolet Motor company, announced today.

"It will be the most spectacular low priced automobile of all time," he said.

## NEW YORK STOCKS

**NEW YORK**, Dec. 23.—Describing the market the Wall Street Journal says:

Stocks maintained pronounced strength today despite an advance in call money to five per cent. Although this was the stiffest charge for speculative borrowing since July 1, it compares with six per cent for the corresponding period last year. However, it was recognized that the credit stringency would pass after completion of the year and settlements.

Operations for the rise went ahead without interruption with U. S. Steel again leading upward proceedings, issues with an investment flavor, including National Biscuit, D. L. and W. and Canadian Pacific also moved ahead briskly.

Bad breaks occurred in specialties like Fidelity, Phoenix and Continental Insurance, but these sharp declines did not unsettle the list.

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Baltimore and O. 117 117 118  
Chl. R. I. & P. 103 107 108 1/2  
Erie .. 65 64 64 1/2  
Chi. Mil. & St. P. 18 18 18 1/2  
Great Northern .. 100 100 100 1/2  
Missouri Pac. .. 51 51 51 1/2  
Reading .. 106 104 104 1/2  
Southern .. 123 123 123 1/2  
Southern R. R. .. 46 46 46 1/2  
Southern Railway .. 46 46 46 1/2  
Union Pacific .. 123 123 123 1/2

**INDUSTRIALS**—  
American Can .. 75 74 74 1/2  
American T. & T. 179 178 178 1/2  
Amer. Woolen .. 19 19 19 1/2  
Fleischmann .. 67 66 66 1/2  
Gen. Electric .. 132 131 131 1/2  
Allis Chalmers .. 114 114 114 1/2  
Famous Players .. 113 112 112 1/2  
Radio Corp. .. 94 91 91 1/2  
U. S. Distributing .. 18 18 18 1/2  
Westinghouse E. 91 89 89 1/2  
Woolworth .. 123 122 122 1/2

**METAL**—  
Amer. Smelting .. 184 184 184 1/2  
Anaconda .. 60 59 59 1/2  
Bethlehem Steel .. 58 57 57 1/2  
Bethlehem Steel .. 72 71 71 1/2  
Chile Copper .. 44 43 43 1/2  
Crucible Steel .. 92 92 92 1/2  
Kennecott Copper .. 88 88 88 1/2  
Republic Iron .. 60 59 59 1/2  
U. S. Smelting .. 48 46 46 1/2  
U. S. Iron Pipe .. 21 21 21 1/2  
U. S. Steel .. 154 154 154 1/2  
Cuban Amer. Sug. 20 20 20 1/2  
Great West Sug. 37 36 36 1/2  
Tobacco Prod. 115 114 114 1/2  
United Cigars .. 33 33 33 1/2

**OILS**—  
Calif. Petro. .. 23 23 23 1/2  
Gen. Asphalt .. 81 81 81 1/2  
Mid-Co. Petr. .. 29 29 29 1/2  
Marland Oil .. 35 35 35 1/2  
Sinclair .. 21 21 21 1/2  
U. O. Calif. .. 56 56 56 1/2  
S. O. of N. Y. .. 32 31 31 1/2  
Texas Company .. 52 52 52 1/2

**MOTORS**—  
Chrysler .. 63 63 63 1/2  
Dodge Com. .. 19 19 19 1/2  
General Motors .. 134 134 134 1/2  
Hudson Motors .. 82 82 82 1/2  
Studebaker .. 60 59 59 1/2

**EQUIPMENT**—  
Baldwin Loco. .. 25 25 25 1/2  
Gabriel Smelters .. 21 21 21 1/2  
Pac Gas & Elec. .. 48 48 48 1/2  
Stewart Warner .. 82 82 82 1/2  
U. S. Rubber .. 55 55 55 1/2  
Amer. Loco. .. 108 108 108 1/2

## Companions Of Hickman Held At Pendleton

**PENDLETON**, Ore., Dec. 23.—Bill and Jack Merrill, of Garfield, Wn., were in jail today and for no reason at all except that they accepted the hospitality of a stranger.

The brothers, being 20 and 21 years of age, rode here yesterday from the Dalles, Ore., with Edward Hickman.

They were in the green Hudson sedan when Hickman was apprehended and are being held in jail here pending an investigation.

## PENDLETON IS BASKING TODAY IN LIMELIGHT

**PENDLETON**, Ore., Dec. 23.—The frontier town of Pendleton basked today for a brief time in the spotlight of national fame.

The arrest of Edward Hickman brought to Pendleton more notoriety than it ever had known before.

With a population of about 5000, Pendleton, the county seat of Umatilla county, is located on the main highway eastward through northern Oregon to the Idaho state line.

A light snow was falling early today and the wind was biting, but the cold failed to chill the enthusiasm of the curious crowd that stood outside the jail.

Nearly all of Pendleton's population found occasion to walk past the jail on the way to work.

The feeling of horror at the brutality of the crime with which Hickman is charged was just as keen here as in any other community in this section of the country.

But the cowboys and rangers of the Pendleton territory felt the law would mete out ample punishment to Hickman for the crime and that there was no need for summary justice.

To this feeling was added the more mercenary thought if Hickman were lynched the two Pendleton officers who captured him might forfeit the \$100,000 reward posted for Hickman's capture.

In the general excitement, Pendleton citizens did not lose sight of the fact that two men of the town are to be made comparatively rich by the capture.

Perhaps with the same idea in mind, Gurdane refused to leave the jail last night, although the guard was ample to protect Hickman or prevent him from escaping.

Gurdane slept only once during the night and then only for a short time.

"Now that we've got him, we're going to see that he is turned over to Los Angeles authorities in good condition," the chief explained with a weary smile.

## CRAMER MENTIONED BY HICKMAN FOUND

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nied knowing June Dunning or her sister, Rose Dunning, although police insist that Kramer is married to the latter.

Kramer was unable to give any reason why his name was mentioned by Hickman except he stated that Hickman may have attended some of the night clubs which Kramer declares he operated in Los Angeles. He also suggested that prisoners in the county jail may have mentioned his name to Hickman, when the boy was confined on forgery charges.

## "Never Heard of Him"

"Hickman was not in jail when I came here in August," Kramer declared. "I never heard of him until this kidnapping case. His face does look familiar, but I can't place him. He may have been in the Hollywood jail while I was held there last summer. I remember that there was some bank messenger boy brought into the same jail but I never paid any attention to him."

Kramer's criminal record began in Tulare county, in 1917.

It is the police aim to round up both of the Dunning girls and question them as to their movements and also as to their knowledge of Hickman and his associates, if they know him.

## Both Girls Known

Detective Lieutenants Trainor and Seager know both girls, particularly Rose, but also possess certain knowledge pertaining to June, who, as far as known, never has been arrested.

The last police record on Frank Kramer, the other brother, reveals that he was wanted in Pixley, Calif., on September 15, last, for criminal assault. Subsequently he was arrested in Hollywood on a robbery charge, which Kramer is eliminated as actual participant in the Parker kidnapping and murder by the fact that they have been in jail more than a month.

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Priced earlier \$12.75. Box coat and belted style, unlined. In blue, brown and black. Sizes 14 to 40. Christmas Special at \$9.75.

Lovely Velvet Jackets \$14.75

Priced earlier \$22.50. Trimmed in rows of silk stitching, crepe de chine lined. Come in black and brown. Christmas special, \$14.75.



Children's Flannelette Pajamas \$1.95

The little miss and debutante will love to receive a pair of these on the Christmas tree.

They are in bright but delicate patterns, and can be had in either one or two-piece styles. Special \$1.95.

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## BIG BILL'S Foe PLANS TO STAY IN WINDY CITY

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—William McAndrew, suspended superintendent of schools and, according to Mayor William Hale Thompson, arch-conspirator for unification of America and Great Britain, will remain in this hotbed of revolutionary heroism even after his term as education director expires, he has revealed.

McAndrew's term ends January 9, the next hearing of his trial on charges of insubordination and pro-British activities is set for January 4 and no indication that the hearing is nearing an end has been given. McAndrew supporters charged the superintendent's opponents had deliberately dragged out the trial so they could keep the superintendent suspended until his term ended.

"This is a colorful city of brilliant people," McAndrew said. "I like it here and I shall stay here and study. The public library is a good place to study. I shall study politics in the public library."

Part of Thompson's anti-British campaign has been devoted to an attempt to rid the library shelves of "pro-British propaganda."

## K. C. PREPARES FOR BIG CONVENTION

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 23.—Plans to put Kansas City in the best possible condition to play host to the Republican National convention next June followed announcement of prizes to those proposing the best means of working such improvements.

Streets will be put in good repair and every effort will be put forth by the municipal government to make the city as attractive as possible for visiting delegates, said H. P. McElroy, city manager, in discussing plans for the convention. McElroy said he appreciates the advertising possibilities offered Kansas City in the Republican convention and declared there will be nothing left undone that might work for a better impression on minds of visitors from over the entire United States.

Missouri's well known hospitality will be reflected in the entertainment afforded delegates in Kansas City, officials promised. Preliminary measures directed at making the city more presentable will include elimination of many unsightly bill boards.

Parkings on boulevards in the city will be straightened and city employees will be put to work at once over the entire city planning to put the city in the best possible shape.

"Having landed the convention," Walter H. Negbauer, president of the Business District league, declared, "it is now up to us to send all the delegates home as missionaries for Kansas City, and we'll do it, too."

## Gold Basis Seen For Currency Of France And Spain

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Secretary of the Treasury Mellon believes France and Spain will follow Italy in establishing a gold basis for its currency, it is stated at the treasury.

Mellon said Italy's action was merely the final step in stabilizing the lire, which had been held practically stable by Italy for some time.

The secretary said America's position regarding the stabilization would be announced later by the federal reserve bank, in New York City.

## Woman To Appear On Peace Charge

FULLERTON, Dec. 23.—Mrs. W. J. Wickersheim, wife of a prominent Fullerton resident, will be tried before Judge Spence January 4 at 9:30 a. m. on a charge of disturbing the peace. The complaint was sworn out by Mrs. J. A. Felkner. Mrs. Wickersheim pleaded not guilty when she appeared before Judge Spence yesterday.

Mrs. Felkner formerly occupied one of the Wickersheim houses in Fullerton. The trouble is said to have started after Mrs. Wickersheim called at the Felkner home to discuss matters connected with the renting of the house.

## Unique Dancing Palace Opened

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 23.—A dance floor of glass, illuminated from underneath by electric lamps, is a novel feature of the "Sphinx," newly opened dance palace in Stockholm.

The establishment is laid out after ultra-modern lines and is claimed to be a worthy match to the most famous amusement places of the continent. The table tops at the "Sphinx" are of alabaster, and are also illuminated underneath. The color scheme in the main ball rooms is gold and cobalt, while the walls are decorated with paintings showing the pyramids and the sphinx.

## Turns Thief So He Might Have Warm Jail Cell

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 23.—Emmett Henderson, 60, broke, homeless and too proud to accept hospitality from his sons, tried for hours to get arrested and found the Christmas spirit all pervading.

Henderson, trying desperately to land in the warm and relatively comfortable jail, stole \$100 worth of goods from department stores. From store to store he wandered, his pockets bulging with trinkets, until finally, in the New York store, he was nabbed after an hour and a half of earnest effort.

## CONDITION OF NEGRO GOOD, MOTON SAYS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The condition of the negro in the south is generally good, President Coolidge was told by Dr. R. R. Moton, president of Tuskegee institute, famous negro institution at Tuskegee, Ala.

Moton said he told the president that circumstances adverse to the negro development were rapidly being made available.

The total number of lynchings in the south for 1927 probably will be smaller than last year, Moton said, although not as small as three years ago. Moton said the president asked about the hospital for negro veterans of the A. E. F. at Auskegee, where 600 former negro soldiers are patients. Mr. Coolidge dedicated the hospital.

## Fascists Insist On High Standard In Food Products

TURIN, Dec. 23.—Sale of goods which are not up to standard—particularly food products—meets prompt and severe punishment under the Fascist regime.

Fines are not imposed. The shop or store is padlocked instead. And there is no recourse for the proprietor but to wait until he can reopen.

Recently the podesta of Turin had the milk store of Maria Pellizzoni padlocked for three months because she sold diluted milk. At the same time the pastry shop of Attilio Ferrari was closed for 15 days because the sanitary inspector charged that he used deleterious substances in his baking.

## Mrs. Thaw's Suit For Setting Aside Of Gift Dismissed

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—The suit of Mrs. Mary Copley Thaw, of Pittsburgh, to have the court set aside a gift of \$600,000 to her grandson, Lawrence C. Thaw, has been dismissed in federal court here.

Judge Frank J. Coleman, in federal court, ruled that the circumstances under which the gift was made did not bear out the charges of Mrs. Thaw's petition.

Mrs. Thaw charged that since making the gift, she had been subjected to "misrepresentation, concealment and unfair impressions." The money, she said, was given to the grandson to aid him in business.

## Jail Shock To French Radical

PARIS, Dec. 23.—Marcel Cachin, chief of the French communists, does not like prison life.

When he was released after several months in the Sainte Jail, he told his colleagues in the chamber of deputies that if he ever becomes head of a communist government nobody will be sent to jail.

"It's an awful shock," he said, "when the jailer locks the door of the cell. I thought to myself, 'Well, old man, they've got you this time.' The jailers are no better off than the prisoners. They see only a little spot of the sky and the sun scarcely ever. What did I do in jail? I read Balzac. That's a mental breakfast."

Ever since the movie industry was just a baby there have been walls of resentment against the brilliant kiegls. They are ruinous to the eyes, has been the big cry—mostly by those who have never stood before them.

Now comes the statement, with statistics behind it, that film players are the optician's poorest customers. Despite the fact that they are facing the dazzling lights all day long, actors really have very little trouble with their eyes. One hears of kiegls eyes often. It is a common ailment in Hollywood but the players rarely suffer more than a temporary inconvenience.

An entire city enclosed within the walls of a motion picture studio. That's what Celluloidia is coming to, in the belief of Fred Niblo, prominent director. "Every studio will have its own business and residence sections," says Niblo. Perhaps the director is right. Many of the stars already have luxurious homes, which they call dressing rooms, within studio walls. And they often live in them for a week or more at a

time while working.

Fire swept a part of Hollywood the other day. The section destroyed was an Indian village built for the express purpose of being burned in one of the big sequences of "Ramona." Edwin

Carewe built the village at a cost of \$100,000, and engaged 300 Indians and 100 Hollywood cowboys for the scene. A few hours after the first flame licked up the side of a hut, the village was in smoldering ruins. Carewe spent a lot of money for that one scene but

he thinks that by the time it reaches the silver sheet, his money will have been well spent.

Here's a new one for the books—a boy actor must have a "double." Joe Cobb, the fat boy in "Our Gang," is the boy and Bob-

bie Dean is the "double." Joe didn't get his double to act for him. He got him to take care of his social engagements. It all happened because someone was always asking Joe to make some sort of an appearance on Saturday afternoons. Joe is an ardent foot-

ball fan and he couldn't give up his chief amusement. Hence the double to appear at the social functions.

Women never are satisfied—and movie actresses are no different. If an actress is a blond, she

wants her hair to be dark. And if she is a brunette she wants to be a blond. Marie Prevost is the latest to come forth a different woman. She has just dyed her hair blond—and what's more, declares she is going to keep it that way.

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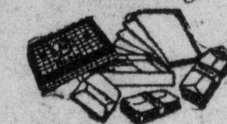
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## 776,798 OUNCES GOLD PRODUCED

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 23.—California produced 776,798 ounces of gold last year, worth \$11,923,481. This is shown in a report by Walter W. Bradley, deputy state mineralogist. The "deep" or lode mines accounted for \$6,695,078, and lode, mainly dredgers, produced \$228,403. Yuba county led in total production, with \$2,769,703. Nevada county was second with \$2,318,846, and Amador third, with \$2,167,275. Copper, which is second only to gold among California's mineral sources, showed a total production of \$3,521,544 pounds valued at \$4,693,014. As for several years, Plumas ranked first with an output worth \$1,022,825; Calaveras, second, with \$730,000; and Shasta, third, with \$472,000.

## Blood Test Will Be Given Canine

DENVER, Dec. 23.—Science and a blood test will be called upon to determine who owns a police dog. Morris House lost a dog said to be a grandson of Strongheart, dog movie star. Then Leon Grass walked past the home of House leading a dog. House attempted to claim it. When the debate grew heated neighbors called the riot squad.

Grass admitted he had found the dog, but questioned House's ownership.

"I'll have a blood test made to show he is a grandson of Strongheart," House said.

### PREDICT MANY DEATHS

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Insurance company statisticians have figured that more than 23,000 lives will be lost in automobile accidents next year.

## MEXICO ASSISTS ART IN SCHOOLS

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 23.—Out of the mixture of extreme backwardness and forwardness which is said to typify Mexico today, is struck many an ultramodern note. The modernist bug has bitten Mexican schools. Principles of teaching, so new that few schools in the United States are experimenting with them, are being used in the public schools of the Federal district and other sections of Mexico as well.

Drawing, for example, is no longer taught as a separate subject following certain rules of art, for the pupils only draw when the necessity arises in the illustration of other subjects of study. And then they are allowed to draw just as they please and without instruction.

This sets free the childish imagination and instinct, according to Juan P. Olaguibel, artist in charge of the section of drawing and manual work under the ministry of public education of Mexico, and as a result the work of the Mexican school children is now remarkable for its great beauty. In this way also any existing remnants of native Mexican art are preserved instead of being destroyed by the art of European civilization.

Drawing has become extremely practical in Mexican schools. The children design and decorate their own toys and useful articles for their homes, and this is especially needed in the rural schools, to which this system is being extended. A children's magazine called "Pulgarcito," meaning "Little Thumb," is written and illustrated by the children of the primary schools of the Federal district of Mexico and other states.

Business houses allow the children to illustrate their advertisements and so the entire magazine is their own product.

This practicality of drawing in the schools does not mean that the purely artistic nature of the subject is being neglected, Senor Olaguibel said. Although the aim is to remove the pupil from the influence of outsiders, he is nevertheless carefully watched and any real talent that is noted is encouraged.

Not only is drawing now making great progress in the schools and developing the individualities of the pupils, but the subjects that are illustrated are also helped by this system. Facts of geography, history or natural science stick much better when they are illustrated in classes, and they are better understood and more clearly fixed in the minds of the pupils, Senor Olaguibel has found.

## Judge Lets Dog Decide Ownership

WATSONVILLE, Dec. 23.—Sort of fox-like, Judge L. Webb let a dog decide a case for him in police court here the other day.

A Chinese and a Filipino each claimed he owned the dog. The judge did not threaten to cut the dog in two. Instead he said:

"Let's hear each of you call the dog." They did, and when Wong Wing whistled, the dog ran to him and wagged its tail.

"Take him," said the judge—and Solomon probably turned over in his grave and chuckled.

## London Group In Less Talk Move

LONDON, Dec. 23.—A number of humanitarian members of parliament are forming a group, the members of which are pledged not to speak in the house of commons longer than 15 minutes at a time. Sir Samuel Chapman, organizer, declares it will get 200 adherents.

## Foch Predestined As Leader, Claim

PARIS, Dec. 23.—Friends of Marshal Foch, who led the allied arms to victory, are fond of telling stories showing that he was predestined for the job. Here is one:

When Louis Loucheur, now the richest man in France, went to Vincennes 35 years ago on military service as a second lieutenant, Lieut. Roland, who was riding nearby, said:

"Take a good look at him. His name is Foch. He's the man who will give back Alsace and Lorraine to France."

## STUDENT DISCOVERS NEW X-RAY METHOD

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 23.—A young student of the Polytechnical academy, R. Mollgaard-Hansen, has discovered a new method of producing X-rays that may, it is hoped, avoid the wasting effect the rays now have on the human skin and muscular tissues. Mollgaard-Hansen says of his method:

In May last I commenced a theoretical investigation of the so-called Rahnke-Johnsen effect, which was found in 1917 by the two Danish engineers, Rahnke and Johnsen.

Toward the end of my investigations I discovered that a kind of X-rays is emitted from this system, which consists of a lithographic stone, on the polished surface of which a plate of metal, polished on the lower surface, is resting.

"As to the practical importance of the discovery, perhaps it will now be possible to construct an apparatus that produces soft X-rays. In my opinion the Rahnke-Johnsen effect is to be found in a series of substances which have not yet been tested. All these substances can doubtless be used in the same way as the lithographic stone as 'half-conductors' in a Rahnke-Johnsen system—for instance, agate, dry paper, slate, marble, human skin."

## Trappers Find Lost Trading Post

CORDOVA, Alaska, Dec. 23.—Fort Halkett, ancient port of the Hudson Bay company, abandoned for almost 100 years, has been located by an Alaska trapper and prospector named Delzel.

Investigating stories told by the Indians, Delzel found the old site near the mouth of Coal river, east of Point Barrow on the Arctic coast. After discovering an old underground cellar, Delzel searched until he found a trail leading through timber to a lake nine miles long, on which the trading cabin stood.

Previous search for Fort Halkett had been made years ago by the Canadian Geological survey, but the exact site was never found.

## JAPANESE SEEK LIFE OF JUDGE

TOKYO, Dec. 23.—Alleging that the judiciary in the city of Gifu, near Kyoto, strained the law and thereby gave judgment in favor of a landlord whom farmers in that district were prosecuting, some 6000 tenant farmers marched in a body from their homes intent on killing the magistrates and wrecking the courthouse.

The police received prior information and, reinforced by reserves sent hurriedly from Kyoto, met the would-be rioters midway between the courthouse and their homes. The chief of police pleaded with the farmers to return home, declaring that he would do all in his power to have a rehearing of the case. Otherwise, he said, the subsequent results would be extremely regrettable.

The leaders of the men were inclined to listen to the advice of the police, but the mob was adamant and, breaking through the police cordon, rushed in the direction of the courthouse. Here another strong posse of police had been posted and a minor battle ensued, the mob being dispersed after a few casualties on both sides. No firearms were used, though at times the police defended themselves with sabers.

The dispute is an old one that has embittered the relations between farmers and land owners for several years. Whenever crops are bad the farmers refuse to pay their rents. In this case a land owner secured a writ and seized the crops of certain farmers who had not paid their land dues. The crops were to be sold by auction and the local farmers' association, deeming this an outrage on their liberties, sought to assault the judge who issued the writ and to wreck the law courts.

## 21 Stockings In Executive Mansion

COLUMBIA, C. C., Dec. 23.—Governor John G. Richards is expecting Santa Claus to visit the executive mansion here, he has confided, and intends to have 21 stockings lined up along the mantel of the living room fireplace when Christmas eve comes.

There are nine daughters in the Richards family, three of them married. The governor and his wife have seven grandchildren and counting sons-in-law, the chief executive admits he is puzzled as to where to put the stockings.

"Our main problem, however, is where to get enough regular sized stockings," Governor Richards said when questioned.

The unmarried daughters are now at work at the following vocations: Miss Betty, social worker; Miss Rekah, teacher; Margaret, music teacher; Miss Mildred, music teacher; Jean, student; John, high school student.

## Hula Continues As Popular Dance

HONOLULU, T. H., Dec. 23.—They still dance the hula in Hawaii, at Waikiki, back in the mountains and on the "outside islands"—Kauai, Hawaii, Molokai and Maui.

Tourists arrive in steady streams to express surprise at finding that Hawaii is just a little chunk of the United States but they find the native Hawaiians still enjoying the hula as the mainlanders enjoy the waltz, fox trot, Charleston or Black Bottom.

Despite widespread misunderstanding about the hula, it is not

a lewd dance except as lewdness is read into it by the uninitiated observer. Of course it interprets the theme of love as most dances do but in the minds of the Hawaiians there is nothing lewd about it.

Originally a part of religious ceremonies the hula ordinarily is typically a folk dance which, with a little practice, may be mastered by almost anyone, with more or less skill and grace.

"Competent observers," in the case of visiting tourists either very young men or men called old, declare that the best hula dancers are the older women who attempt not to hide the effects of a poet diet.

Young girls with slender figures

make the most charming dancers even though sometimes they lack the understanding of the dance known to the older "wahines,"—Polynesian for women.

## Bismarck's Kin Is Given Post

BERLIN, Dec. 23.—Prince Otto von Bismarck, grandson of the iron chancellor, who half a year ago resigned his seat as German nationalist member of the Reichstag to enter the diplomatic service, has been given his first foreign post. He has been appointed secretary of legation at Stockholm.

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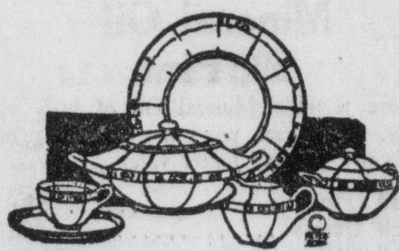
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\$1.25 to \$3.25

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49c to \$2.35

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\$3.95 to \$10.00

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## \$15,000 GIVEN PLAINTIFF IN DAMAGES SUIT

Late yesterday afternoon the jury in the case of Helm vs. Charles Tippie, rendered in Superior Judge James L. Allen's court a verdict in favor of the plaintiff in the sum of \$15,000. The suit was filed by Julian Helm, 19, through his father, Carl M. Helm, Santa Ana attorney, as guardian ad litem, against Charles Tippie of Long Beach, and Duro Engineering company. Plaintiff claimed damages in the sum of \$21,293.35.

The complaint in the action alleged that the defendant, Tippie, while driving an automobile, negligently and carelessly drove it against the plaintiff Helm, whose leg, when healed, one and one-half inches shorter than the right leg, and permanently crippled and weakened. Included in the \$15,000 damages awarded by the jury's verdict were the items of \$1293.35 hospital and medical bills, and \$1800 for loss of time and wages during plaintiff's illness caused by the accident, as well as compensation for damage caused by loss of earning power in the future, and compensation for pain and suffering.

At the close of plaintiff's proof the suit was dismissed as to the Duro Engineering company for the reason that it did not appear that the defendant Tippie was actually on duty in the employ of the company at the time of the accident and injury.

James L. Davis and Sharpless Walker appeared as counsel for the plaintiff, and Stanley Reinhaus and Fred Porgy for the defendants. The defendant Tippie is said to be partially insured against the judgment.

## 9,118,593 Italy Residents Live In Other Lands

ROME, Dec. 23.—Latest statistics here show that there are 9,118,593 expatriated Italians living in different parts of the world. The figure is probably even greater than this, as the consular returns from some countries are confessedly incomplete.

The greatest number of emigrated Italians live in the American continent. Between North and South and Central America, 7,674,583 Italians are accounted for. The United States alone has more than 5,000,000 of them, while there are 150,000 in Canada, 7,000 in Mexico, 57,000 in Costa Rica, 800,000 in Brazil, 1,600,000 in the Argentine and 21,500 in Chile.

In Europe, there are 1,267,841 exiled Italians, more than half of whom are living in France. In Africa, there are 189,100 Italians, while Australia has 27,000 living under its flag.

## Says Industries Need Researchers

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Universities are doing little to increase their output of research men, in the opinion of Professor Frank C. Whitmore, new chairman of the division of chemistry and chemical technology of the National Research council.

"The idea of research," he says, "has been somewhat oversold to the public in the sense that there is not a sufficient production of real research men by the universities to meet the need fostered in the industries."

"The nonchemical public, it seems, has been led to conceive chemistry as really a form of modern magic, achieving its magical results by the good old-fashioned magical methods, including suitable 'formulas,' as they are called. 'Too often this results in a demand on the research men to produce results out of all proportion to the time, effort and capital invested.'"

**FANATICS KILLED**  
COTABATO, Philippines, Dec. 23.—Seven religious fanatics of the Alangkai sect were killed by a Filipino constabulary patrol in the course of an armed encounter. None of the constables was harmed.

## PLAN SUBSIDIES FOR EMIGRANTS

TOKYO, Dec. 23.—Japan's population 30 years hence will be in the neighborhood of 100,000,000, a subcommittee of the government's population and food problem investigation bureau estimates.

To meet this increase the ministry of agriculture has submitted a plan whereby the government would establish a system of liberal subsidies to the farming classes. It is hoped that these subsidies will check the increasing tendencies of young farmers to move to the cities, which are now overcrowded with unemployed.

The more important government measures proposed to bring about even distribution of population in Japan call for the establishment of migration associations which would encourage migration to sparsely populated districts by the payment of government subsidies and a company to engage in the development of land granted by the government.

The colonial bureau of the foreign office also has an elaborate plan for the encouragement of emigration by payment of liberal subsidies to emigrants. Other machinery considered necessary for encouragement of emigration includes a colonial bank with branches in foreign countries, a colonial company, a colonial museum, stations for emigrants at Nagasaki and other places, and a committee to see to the welfare of emigrants in foreign countries.

## Policeman Has His Son Cited

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 23.—There's nothing like having a reserve complaint or two in one's mind or pocket when visiting the police station, according to Patrolman B. M. Pharris.

"I want my son arrested for taking my automobile without permission," said Henry Schaffer, referring to Henry Jr., 19.

"Can't do that," advised the officer.

"All right," replied Henry Sr., "then arrest him for hitting me in the eye."

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## NEW CANDIDATE

Pictured above is Chick Shields of 814 North Broadway, winner of the fourth elimination contest in the "Our Gang" talent search.



## OSAKA LAUNCHES VAST IMPROVEMENT

TOKIO, Dec. 23.—Osaka, having recently incorporated with itself 44 adjoining towns and villages to become the biggest city in Japan, with a population well in excess of 2,000,000, has now launched a vast improvement scheme calling for the expenditure within the next five years of 500,000,000 yen.

Many of the main streets are to be widened and 30,000 meters of new streets are to be constructed. New canals are to be cut through the city, to the length of 43,000 meters, and parks to cover 8,000,000 square yards are to be constructed, while great cemeteries are to be set aside and the many thousands of graves scattered throughout the city in small cemeteries are to be brought together. A sewer system, to cost 140,000,000 yen, is one of the main items.

The great fire following the earthquake of 1923, which destroyed Yokohama and two-thirds of Tokio, awoke the people of Osaka to the fact that their city was a vast fire trap, without parks or other open places in the event of an equal catastrophe. This situation is to be entirely changed, many of the streets to be widened to become fire breaks, while throughout the city are to be parks to be used as places of refuge in the event of any major conflagration.

## Bankers' Council To Meet April 16

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—The next executive council meeting of the American Bankers association, which is held in the spring each year, has been set for April 16-19, 1928, at the Bon Air-Vanderbilt Hotel, Augusta, Georgia, F. N. Shepherd, executive manager of the organization, has announced.

The executive council meeting next to the annual convention of the association is one of the largest and most important national gatherings of the year among bankers. The council is composed of representatives from all parts of the country proportionate to banking membership in the association in each state. It is empowered to transact a large part of the administrative business of the association and to receive reports from all the divisions, sections, commissions and committees of the general body.

## Monoxide Gas Warning Given

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Dec. 23.—You're flirting with death if you don't shut off the motor when you drive into the garage.

So warns the California department of public health, which disclosed there have already been eight deaths in the state this fall and winter from carbon monoxide poisoning.

"Despite warnings against warming up the engine in cold weather inside a garage," the report said, "deaths continue to occur. The average car in a closed garage can generate enough gas to kill a human being in a few minutes."

As carbon monoxide is colorless, tasteless and virtually odorless, its presence is not usually known until the victim is so near unconscious he is unable to act.



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## CUBA LOSS FACED BY U. S. EXPORTERS

HAVANA, Dec. 23.—A loss of \$12,000,000 annually is faced by American exporters doing business with Cuba if the present parcel post treaty between Cuba and the United States, which expires on March 1, 1928, is not continued, according to T. C. Uibricht, official of the American Chamber of Commerce in Cuba, which is carrying on an extensive agitation for a more equitable postal law between the two countries.

Cuba will not continue its present parcel post agreements with the United States unless steps are taken by congress to permit the entry of cigars in small lots, the only Cuban export business that could be expanded by use of the parcel post.

It is estimated that American manufacturers and exporters of small articles are now doing a yearly business of \$10,000,000 via parcel post with Cuba, and this amount is augmented by \$2,000,000 earned by the railways in parcel post returns.

The cigar bill introduced in the last congress to permit small lots of Cuban cigars to be exported to this country via parcel post was defeated, due, it is asserted, to the action of a small but well organized group of American tobacco men who opposed its passage, fearing the invasion of Havana cigars in small consignments would compete with their trade.

## Crews Desert Italian Ships

SAN PEDRO, Calif., Dec. 23.—The number of desertions from Italian vessels calling at Pacific ports has become so great that vessels are compelled to ship top-heavy crews from Italy to replace seamen who "go over the hill," according to ship captains here.

The U. S. government has warned captains and owners of foreign vessels that they are subject to a fine of \$1000 for every seaman who escapes into the United States. During the last three years, when the coast has enjoyed direct Mediterranean to coast service, according to immigration officials, more than 400 desertions have taken place from Italian ships alone. Only a small percentage have been recaptured.

The freighter Edda, recently laid up here because of lack of cargo, reported that 16 seamen jumped ship, only one of whom has been found. The Edda carried a crew of 50 men when she left Italy. This is considerably more than a normal crew but it is necessary, the captain explained, because of the great number of desertions.

## Says Power Will Be Broadcast

LONDON, Dec. 23.—The trans-oceanic airplane hop of the future will be made without fear of running out of gasoline—because no gasoline will be used. Nicola Tesla, eminent electrical scientist and inventor, makes the prediction with perfect confidence, saying that electric power soon will be broadcast as radio waves now are.

Disclaiming his statement to be that of a visionary, Tesla offered as proof the fact that he already has succeeded in sending power through the air—nearly half way around the world—with a loss of less than one per cent of its strength. When this feat can be duplicated cheaply enough to make it applicable to practical use, power would be produced only at great central stations and there broadcast over a wide area for use in motor cars, airplanes, homes and factories.

Tesla believes he will live to see the plan in operation.



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## BADLY BEATEN MAN FOUND BY POLICE

Badly beaten up about the face, Edward Dillon, 28, was arrested by police officers last night and is being held in the county jail, because he was unable to explain how he got the beating.

Sid Smithwick, assistant police chief, said that Dillon had been drinking and was unable or wouldn't recall the fight he apparently had had with some one. He was bleeding about the face when brought into police station.

## Court Notes

**Asks Divorce**  
Clifford Ayers today filed a divorce complaint against Relda Ayers, alleging desertion as grounds for the action. They were married in 1914 and separated in 1923.

**Files Suit**  
The Pacific Plaster company today filed a suit to foreclose a mechanics lien against T. Mahan and others, for \$93.40. A separate action also was started against John W. Rose, by the same concern, for recovery of \$146.28 on a mechanic's lien.

**Divorce Sought**  
Roy L. Horn wanted to be boss when he got married to Hazel V. Horn, and told her so on their honeymoon when they were returning from Bakersfield, according to her complaint for divorce, filed today. She said he declared he would not take orders from her mother when she asked him at another time when they were out riding, to slow down. Instead, she said, he speeded up to 60 miles per hour. They were married August 26 and separated November 16.

**Sues on Note**  
W. W. Perkins filed suit against W. P. Brady and Orville Pfeiffer today seeking to recover \$300 on a promissory note.

**Information Filed**  
Information was filed against G. M. Ota today charging him with owning and operating a whiskey still. He will answer to his arraignment January 3.

**Enters Plea**  
Fred Delse pleaded not guilty today when he was arraigned on a charge of issuing a fictitious check for \$25. He gave the check to Barney Rubinstein November 14, who testified at the preliminary examination that he accepted the check partly because Delse flattered him by telling him he had come to his store because he had seen Rubinstein's advertisements. He will be tried January 12.

**Plead Not Guilty**  
S. A. Coulton and Ruby Bartol pleaded not guilty today before Superior Judge E. J. Marks to a charge of contributing to the delinquency of a 15-year-old girl. They are said to have been living together although they are not married.

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Isn't it nice to do your shopping at home where you know you will get courteous treatment from merchants and clerks who know you personally than it is to deal with strangers.

We're not prophets so we couldn't tell exactly how many wagons, tricycles, etc., you folks would buy. If we could we wouldn't be overstocked like we now are. You get the benefit of our mistake. So we're offering them to you tomorrow at 10 per cent off.

A balloon ascent had just taken place, and a tiny girl among the spectators turned to her mother with the query, "Mother, is God expecting those gentlemen?"

**MERRY CHRISTMAS!**

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Old stuff, but nevertheless we wish it to you most heartily. All of us to all of you. We wish that we could call around and shake each one of you by the hand and wish it to you personally, or at least send everyone in this community an engraved greeting card. So we will broadcast this little message to you all.

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## Radio Programs

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 23

KWTC (222.1m) Santa Ana. 6 p. m. to 7 p. m., dinner hour program; news items, weather reports; 7 p. m. to 7:15 p. m., request period; 7:15 p. m. to 7:30 p. m., Orange County Farm bureau weekly program; 7:30 p. m. to 8:30 p. m., "Rest Home for the Aged" program; E. H. Elsner, director; Pasadena Nazarene College Glee club.

KPO (422.2m) San Francisco. 4 p. m. m. Nurok trio; 5 p. m. children's hour; 6 p. m. market quotations; 6:30 p. m. States Restaurant orchestra; 8 p. m. N. B. C. program; 9 p. m. studio program; 10 p. m. dance orchestra.

KGO (384.4m) Oakland. 6 p. m. dinner concert; 6:55 p. m. news; 8 p. m. Western Artists Series concert; 9 p. m. N. B. C. program; 10 p. m. dance music.

KLX (509m) 4:30 p. m. Hawaiian music; 5:30 p. m. Brother Bob; 6:30 p. m. dinner concert; 7 p. m. news; 8 p. m. opera; 9 p. m. dance music.

KFI (468.5m) Los Angeles. 5:30 p. m. Bill Henry and Katherine O'Neill; 6 p. m. Florence Sanger; 6:15 p. m. Radio trial period; 6:30 p. m. Norma West; 7 p. m. program by Paul Roberts; 8 p. m. Ira D.

Morgan; 8:30 p. m. Boris Myronoff, concert pianist; 9 p. m. N. B. C. program; 10 p. m. John Slingerland, baritone.

KFWB (361.2m) Hollywood. 6 p. m. dinner music; 7 p. m. musical program; 7:50 p. m. news; 8 p. m. Morris sisters; harmony numbers; 9 p. m. baritone with trio; 10 p. m. to midnight, dance music.

KGW (491.5m) Portland. 6 p. m. Golden West Girl; 7 p. m. concert; 8 p. m. theater concert; 9 p. m. N. B. C. program; 10 p. m. entertainers; 10:30 p. m. Hoot Owls.

KOIN (319m) Portland. 6 p. m. dinner concert; 7:15 p. m. Benson hotel orchestra; 8 p. m. entertainers; 8:20 p. m. Studio artists program; 10 p. m. dance music.

KFOA (447.5m) Seattle. 5 p. m. Big Brother; 6 p. m. children's program; 7 p. m. concert orchestra; 8 p. m. Old Time trio; 9 p. m. N. B. C. program; 10 p. m. blackface comedy; 10:30 p. m. hoot owls.

KJR (348.6m) Seattle. 5 p. m. Junior hour; 5:30 p. m. studio program; 5:45 p. m. stock quotations; 6 p. m. sport; 6:30 p. m. dinner hour concert; 7:30 p. m. dance music; 8 p. m. Flower shop trio; 9 p. m. Flower shop trio; 10 p. m. dance music.

## Vast Sums Loaned To Foreign Lands By U. S. In Year

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Last month America loaned \$175,000,000 abroad. This looks like a large sum of money and there are those who profess some concern over the increasing export of American capital. Will there be enough left for our own needs?

Already we have loaned in foreign countries this year nearly \$1,500,000,000. But the vastness of American figures in their totals must not be lost sight of. Expressed in percentages our export of capital is not so great. The total of our foreign investments is but 3 1-2 per cent of our national wealth, and much more than half of this is offset by foreign investments here. Only 7 per cent of our annual savings go abroad even in these days of mounting foreign loans.

## Girl, 14, Requests Facts On Hawaii

HONOLULU, T. H., Dec. 23.—Lorna Davidson, of Sandusky, Mich., who is only 14 years of age, has heard so many weird tales about Hawaii that she wants the low-down on the situation.

This little girl addressed a letter to Charles N. Arnold, chief magistrate of Honolulu, appealing to the "Mayor of the Hawaiian Islands," to put her in touch with a Honolulu correspondent, who would give her the facts about Hawaii.

Lorna wants to know, among other things, how Chinese, Japanese, Filipinos, Portuguese and many more people manage to live so happily together.

Mayor Arnold says she will hear more on that point in addition to how often the volcanoes here "spout."

## MAY REVOKE RIGHT OF BROADCASTERS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Radio always over the United States have become so congested that it has been proposed to revoke the broadcasting licenses of almost half the 655 stations now operating here.

Sam Pickard, a member of the federal radio commission, made the suggestion which may be acted upon early in 1928. His tentative proposal was to revoke the licenses of 300 stations, leaving 355 broadcasters to provide programs in the United States.

The commission has cleared 25 channels to afford many stations opportunities to broadcast without having their programs marred by heterodyne interference. Pickard estimated that with 50 of the 90 available channels cleared there would be similar facilities for between 200 and 250 stations to broadcast unmenaced by preventable interference.

"Public interest, convenience or the necessity clause of the radio law of 1927" will be the standards by which stations will be judged. The radio act of 1927 never has been tested legally and the proposal to revoke licenses, if carried out, probably would result in an immediate test case being carried to the supreme court, thereby determining the federal right to regulate broadcasting under the present law.

**FOOLED, ALL RIGHT**  
NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Mabel Witness, actress, thought Leon Sarshek was a millionaire real estate man when she married him. On April Fool's day, she found he was only a Broadway habitue, she said in seeking annulment.

## HEAVY DEFICIT IN PRUSSIAN BUDGET

BERLIN, Dec. 23.—The Prussian budget for 1928 has been completed and shows an estimated deficit of 73,677,000 marks (about \$15,000,000) which the minister hopes will be covered by the Reich.

Finance Minister Hopker-Aschhoff describes the various forms in which the budget may be examined, the "gross budget," an intermediate budget and a "net budget," to show how simple the accounting is.

Each form of budget as given ends with the same 73,500,000 marks deficit, and none of them show what the money is really spent on.

The minister reviews the Prussian finances since the stabilization in the following table:

But the 1927 figure is only the estimate; the increase of state officials' pay has added about 100,000,000 marks to the expenditure, of which 40 millions can be covered by excess revenue, leaving a deficit of 60,000,000 marks. Of the big surplus of 1924, 72,500,000 marks went to cover the 1923 deficit and 200,000,000 marks has been swallowed up by the deficits of the last three years.

Thus there is no reserve to cover the 1928 deficit of 73,500,000. This, too, is attributed mainly to the salary increases, and, says the Minister, "Prussia counts on the help of the Reich."

The Reich has, however, declared that it does not propose to increase the percentage distributed to the states of the taxation revenue.

## BIBLE CLASS PLANS FOR TWO SERVICES

Members of the Mens' Community Bible class are looking forward to two big meetings, one Sunday morning and the other the regular Christmas meeting, to be held at 9:30 a. m. Monday. Both meetings will be held at the West Coast-Walker theater.

The Sunday morning meeting will be for men only, but the wives and families of the members and visitors are expected at the annual Christmas program, it was announced.

## Vienna Animal Zoo Shows Gain

VIENNA, Dec. 23.—The Vienna Zoo has regained its pre-war population.

In celebrating the zoo's 175th anniversary, it was announced that the number of animals had reached 3000—the same figure as in 1914.

During the war the number dropped to 300, for many specimens were slaughtered and fed to the more valuable animals.

## TALBERT

TALBERT, Dec. 23.—The Sunday school Christmas program has been postponed at Talbert from Friday evening until Sunday evening at which time the pageant, short Christmas plays and other features now being prepared by the teachers and pupils of the Sunday school will be given at the hour of the regular preaching service.

Mrs. George K. Scott arrived Wednesday from Pasadena to remain over Christmas as the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Hoepfner.

Local ranchers are busy with the preparation of their barley land and will begin seeding very soon now. Mr. and Mrs. E. Folkerts and family attended the production of "The Covered Wagon" at a Santa Ana theater Saturday evening.

Robert Giesler was able to be up Sunday for the first time since the preceding Wednesday, at which time he was taken ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Stoffle and son, Bernard Jr., of Anaheim, were Sunday visitors in the home of Mrs. Stoffle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Giesler.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pettitt, Mrs. Ethel Perrine and Mr. Kerr, of Whittier, were entertained Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Talbert, Sunday.

The Rev. J. J. Woodson spent three days at Greenville assisting members of the congregation of the church, of which he is pastor, in the redecoration of a part of the interior of the building.

## THRACIAN REMAINS FOUND IN GERMANY

BERLIN, Dec. 23.—A 3000-year-old settlement of bronze age men, with remains pointing to human sacrifices, has been discovered at Buschmuehle, near Frankfurt on the Oder.

A scientific commission appointed by the Prussian government has been excavating on the spot to investigate the remains of a Slav village of the sixth century; but digging deeper down Professor Unverzagt, of the Berlin Ethnological museum, and his helpers came upon far older remains that they declare date from a time when the Slavs had not yet separated themselves from their Indo-Germanic ancestry. They are said to be the wild Thracians and Illyrians, who preceded the ancient Greeks and Romans in Southeastern Europe and who were afterwards partly Romanized and partly merged into other invading tribes.

Never before have Thracian remains been discovered so far north in Europe. The explorers believe the settlement, after being abandoned by its original inhabitants, laid waste for 1000 years until the Slavs came upon the scene.

## Speeder Names His Baby Judge

HUNTINGTON BEACH, Dec. 23.—Concrete evidence of Judge Chris Pann's popularity was given here today, when George V. Snow, a negro, appeared in court with a beaming countenance.

Snow was in court about two months ago on a speeding charge. Yesterday, he fairly beamed on the judge.

"Judge, I have a brand new baby boy at my house," he informed Pann.

"What is the baby's name," Pann asked.

"Well, suh, we calls him Judge after you," Snow came back.

## Closed Season On Herring Proposed

GLASGOW, Dec. 23.—There are as good fish in the sea as ever were caught, but not quite so many herring, according to the Scottish Fishery board.

The practice of catching immature herring for the export trade has done a great deal toward reducing the numbers of this fish. With a view of protecting young herring a closed season is to be proclaimed, and the board will request co-operation of the heads of the fishing industry.

Many millions of herring have been caught this season and at times have retailed in London and other cities for half a penny each.

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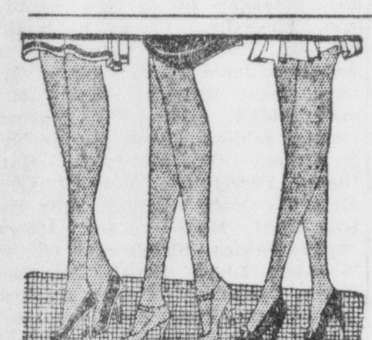
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A full-lined serviceable quilted silk robe. Only a limited number of these go at this price ..... \$8.50

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Unbreakable, all sizes, all kinds. Unbreakable heads and arms. Neatly dressed and well made. 59c TO \$6.50



## Chiffon Stockings

Munsing's full fashioned stockings. Choice of the late winter or early spring shades. Full range of sizes ..... \$1.95

## Part Wool Blankets

A big woolly, warm blanket is indeed a present to be appreciated. Block plaid patterns in all the wanted shades .. \$3.39

## Voile Pillows

Complete with form neatly embroidered voile pillows. Choose from pastel shades ... \$1.95

## Sweaters

For mother, wife, sister, daughter and son. A complete range of coat and slip-over styles. "Closeknit" or brushed wool, complete range of colors. \$1.95 TO \$10.50

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## Royal Society Finished Pieces

Every article in our entire stock of finished pieces goes. Nothing reserved. Workmanship on these models is the finest.

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# GIFTS for CHRISTMAS

## PARSONS DRUGS

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Santa Ana

## Only 12 Hours to Shop

Open Until 9 P. M. Saturday

## Handkerchief and Tie Set

Silk crepe handkerchiefs and ties in the popular shades. Daintily hand painted ..... \$1.25

## Handkerchief Cases

Made of rich silk daintily trimmed with lace or ribbons. A very splendid gift. Choice of colors ..... \$1.25

## Boudoir Novelties

Choose from shoe horns, vanities, pin cushions, powder sticks and numerous other novelties ..... 79c UP

## Box Handkerchiefs

Dainty silk crepe, all linen or Swiss mull, put up in attractive gift boxes. Choice of colors and trimmings at. 39c UP

## Fancy Handkerchiefs

Silk crepe hand embroidered and dainty Swiss mull handkerchiefs. Choice of colors. 10c TO \$1.35

## Dresser Scarfs

Many with lace insets. Others all lace, embroidered or tan crash, neatly stitched. A wide range of styles at ..... 59c UP

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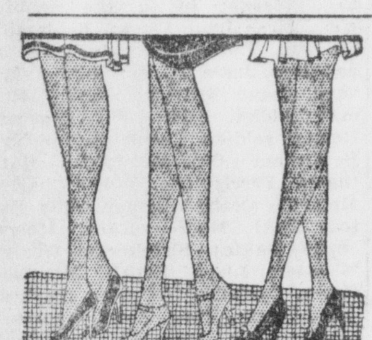
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## Garter Sets

Including handkerchief and fancy garter or boudoir bands and fancy garters and powder puff, bag, and garters at ..... 65c UP

## Pointed Heel Stockings

A splendid stocking of finest silk, seamless foot, reinforced toe and heel; full range of colors ..... \$1.00

## Full Fashioned Stockings

Service weight, full range of sizes and colors; a clear, smooth silk ..... \$1.65

## Bathrobe

Warm woolly bath robes, trimmed with buttons, silk or mercerized cord and pockets. Indian and novelty patterns. Some come with slippers—women's and children's sizes. \$1.59 TO \$8.95



## TO ORGANIZE NEW CHURCH IN BEACH RESORT

The Rev. Percy Wise Clarkson, rector of St. Francis-by-the-Sea, Laguna Beach, plans to organize a new church in the Artists' colony shortly after the first of the year, it was revealed in a statement which he issued on his retirement from the church "by request."

The Rev. Mr. Clarkson, who secured a divorce from his wife some time ago, was asked to resign after a position had been presented to Bishop Stevens in Los Angeles, the petition being circulated by a faction in the church. Another petition asking his retention was presented to

Bishop Stevens. In his statement, the Rev. Mr. Clarkson declared that his retirement was caused by malcontents.

## DENIES CHARGE OF ASSAULTING WIFE

Socorro Ortiz, 45, pleaded not guilty today before Superior Judge E. J. Marks on a charge of assaulting his wife, Belen Ortiz, with a deadly weapon. The defendant is alleged to have struck at her from behind with a hatchet, and she is said to have narrowly avoided death when she turned her head on hearing him approach.

Ortiz will be tried January 3. Deputy District Attorney Sam Collins is conducting the case for the people.

Xmas Turkey Dinner \$1.25  
Pennant Cafe  
"Quality Always" (Adv.)

## SCENE IN CHURCH PAGEANT

Scene in the Christmas pageant, "When the Star Shone," to be presented at the First Methodist church, tonight, at 7:15 o'clock.



## OLD FASHIONED CHRISTMAS TREE CELEBRATION TONIGHT AT FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

An old fashioned Christmas tree and a program by children of the Sunday school will be a feature at the presentation tonight, at the First M. E. Church, of the Christmas pageant, "When the Star Shone."

The pageant was given Sunday night and the auditorium was packed to its capacity, with the turning away of many persons who came to the church to witness its production.

The pageant scene takes place just outside the ancient city of Bethlehem in the days of the birth of Christ. The voice of Prophecy is heard in the distance singing "Comfort Ye My People." Her sister, History, follows and tells Prophecy telling her the time has arrived when Christ should be born in Bethlehem. They wait together for a season and behold the happenings of this great hour. Roman soldiers are seen patrolling outside ancient Bethlehem. Rabbi Nathan has been summoned to the palace of Herod because of the quest of the Wise Men who have appeared unto Herod seeking the place where the young King should be born. He greets his wife Judith and the children and tells them the story. While he is thus engaged the shepherds come singing their song of Glory to God in the Highest. A star appears and the Rabbi recognizes it as the star that guides the Wise Men. The Wise Men are heard singing in the distance "Where is He that is born King of the Jews." Joel, the servant of the Rabbi, is skeptical, but after hearing the saying of the Rabbi and the Wise Men and the shepherd story is convinced of the fact of History. The pageant is interwoven with beautiful music, distinctive in its character and appeal. The pageant closes with the Rabbi leading the procession to the cradle of Jesus their King.

Those taking the characters in the pageant are as follows: Prophecy, Hazel Smith; History, Eleanor Saulsbury; Rabbi Nathan, Cecil Marks; Judith, the Rabbi's wife, Mrs. John Estes; Benjamin, his son, Harold Lutes; Sarah, a daughter, Jesse Faires; Joel, a servant, Jesse Stiffley; Julius, Roman soldier, Fred Hein; Marcus, Roman soldier, Frank Humphrey; Bethlehem Children, John Matthews, Ferris Lee Wall, Charles Maxwell, Craig Warner, Billy Estes, Opal Moore, Ruby Moore, Joyce Dakin; Shepherds, George Warner, Lloyd Smith, Morrison Geyer, Lyle Smith, James Hughes; Wise Men, Fred Zaiser, Russell Lutes, John Estes; Wise Men's Servants, R. L. Matthews, Huestis Snow, Fred Jayner; Bethlehem People—Hannah, Florence Hilliard; Bethlehem Man, Melvin Maxwell; Bethlehem Singer, Cleo Hein; Other Women, Frances Schweitzer, Majoree Schweitzer, Ethel Coffman, Mary Coffman, Bernice Finuf, Elizabeth Gilmour; Water Carriers, Helen Hell, DeLoise Johnson.

The pageant is directed by Mrs. John Clarkson and the costumes are furnished by Mrs. J. T. Wilson; organist, Mrs. W. B. Snow; the lighting arrangements and scenery by Adams Hansen, through the courtesy of the I. A. T. S. E. Stage properties, Victor Morrison.

Mason Yould, city editor, was master of ceremonies, and announced the program features, latter distributing the gifts from the tree. To the program, John Sylvester contributed songs to his own ukulele accompaniment, George Ross played harmonica solos and Eleanor Young Elliott read.

With the joke gifts for each, were other Christmas tokens from the company, which could scarcely be considered as being in the joke class.

Xmas Turkey Dinner \$1.25  
Pennant Cafe  
"Quality Always" (Adv.)

## Y. M. C. A. BOYS WILL HOLD PARTY TONIGHT

The annual Christmas party for Y. M. C. A. dormitory residents will be held this evening, according to announcement from the Y office today. A jolly "family" program has been planned under the leadership of House Mother Mrs. Searles, who will try to help the young men living at the Y to feel as though they were at home for the Christmas season.

Many of them are so situated that they cannot get home for the holiday, so that the Y. M. C. A. has to serve them as a sort of second home, and this party is one of the means by which this service is given.

## Police News

C. Williamson, V. Williamson and Charles Campbell, young Iowa boys who were arrested here Wednesday night when a number of citizens surrounded them near Tenth and Main streets while they were alleged to have been stealing gasoline from several parked automobiles, were each sentenced to serve five days in the county jail, when given a hearing before Judge J. P. Talbot, yesterday. The boys, originally charged with petty theft, were charged with vagrancy in police court.

Four men, arrested Wednesday night on vagrancy charges were given suspended jail sentences in police court yesterday on condition they leave Santa Ana immediately. They were Jack Fesco, Joe Milliner, William Spriggs and Walter Bell.

Charged with allowing the motor of his machine to run unattended, Albert Keller, Santa Ana, was fined \$2 in police court yesterday.

Harry Martin was given a \$2 fine in police court yesterday for operating his automobile with cutout open.

The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs will have their Xmas tree Saturday night, Dec. 24, at the Odd Fellows hall.—Adv.

# VANDERMAST

Vandermaast & Son

110 East Fourth

Phone 244



## For My Man

Hickok Belt Sets, \$2.00 to \$4.50  
Hickok Belt Buckles, \$1 to \$5.00  
Wool Mufflers at \$1.50 to \$3.00  
Striking Neckwear at \$1 to \$3.50  
Fancy Pajamas at \$5.00 to \$7.50  
Other Pajamas Starting at \$1.75  
Pure Linen Hanks at 3 for \$1.00  
Fine Linen Hanks at 3 for \$2.00  
Rayon Lounging Robes at \$12.00  
Black Corduroy Robes at \$18.50  
Silk Robes, lined, at \$15 to \$20  
Beacon Bath Robes at \$5 to \$12  
Interwoven Silk Hose at 75c to \$1  
Silk and Wool Hose at \$1 to \$1.50  
Fancy Suspenders at \$1 to \$2.00



## Santa Claus Says Go to the Great Western Department Store for Last Minute Values

LADIES' \$5.00 BATH ROBES ..... \$2.95  
MEN'S ENGLISH BROADCLOTH AND NOVELTY MADRAS SHIRTS, 100 to chose from \$1.98  
MEN'S STETSON GLOVES, lined; a \$2.50 value ..... \$1.69  
BOYS' STETSON GLOVES ..... \$1.25  
MEN'S SILK AND WOOL HOSE ..... 49c  
LADIES' PURE SILK FULL FASHIONED HOSE, \$1.65 value ..... \$1.00  
MEN'S SILK AND WOOL SCARFS, \$1.95 value ..... \$1.00

All Toys at One-Half Price

Great Western Dept. Store  
306 East Fourth Street

## —at HORTON'S

J. C. Horton Furniture Co.

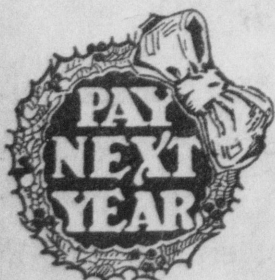
Main at Fifth St., Santa Ana, Calif.

# HOME GIFTS

## HORTON'S GIFT VALUES ON EASY PAYMENTS

NOW that famous "last minute" is here, and you'll be justified in saying that you saved the best gift until the last if you choose your gift to the home now. Horton's Christmas store is crammed full of unusual gift values—"values" is the right word—and it is easy for you to buy whatever you want, small or large. We offer you the service of a Horton Gift Account, opened with only a small cash payment, the balance to be paid monthly next year.

Come and see us today and tomorrow. OPEN EVENINGS.



### TOYS

Big Discount, 33 1-3% off  
HARNOIS CO.  
314 West Fourth Street

### DR. JOHN WESLEY HANCOCK

Chiropractor-Optometrist  
THE EYE SPECIALIST  
FOR YOUR CHILD

Eye Strain, Headache  
And kindred nervous afflictions  
are being relieved here by spinal  
adjustments and ocular ex-  
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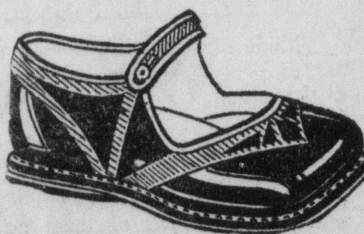
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### Strap Slippers

for children, of patent kid.  
Nice broad toes. Sizes to 8,  
on sale—

\$1.48



Sizes 8 1/2 to 11,  
2, on sale.. \$1.98

### CHILDREN'S PLAY OXFORDS

of stout tan leather,  
broad toes; \$1.00  
sizes 11 to 2

## Holiday Footwear BUT NOT HOLIDAY PRICES

### LAST MINUTE SHOPPERS WILL FIND

Our store overflowing with shoes and slippers  
of felt and leather for men, women and children  
in a sale that brings them to you

### AT THE LOWEST PRICES IN TOWN

## Slippers! Slippers!

### MEN'S FELT SLIPPERS

of heavy grade felt and  
padded leather soles.  
All sizes ..... 79c

### Women's Wool Felt Ribbon Trimmed

## Slippers!

Padded Leather Soles  
All Colors.  
Reg. \$1.50 val. \$1.00

Showing the Largest  
Stock in Town  
at the Lowest Price  
Women's Felt  
Slippers

Of good grade felt, padded  
leather soles. Ribbon  
trimmed, about eight differ-  
ent colors.  
only ..... 49c

### Child's Felt Slippers

Ribbon Trimmed. Red or  
blue. All sizes to  
2. On sale ..... 49c



### Cavalier Felt Slippers for Girls and Boys

In red or blue style like il-  
lustration. Sizes  
8 to 3, only ..... 79c



Sizes 8 1/2 to 11,  
only ..... 89c

Sizes 11 1/2 to 2,  
only ..... 99c

### Wool Lined Slippers

Made of Sheepskin With the  
Natural Wool Lining

Men's sizes ..... \$1.79  
Women's sizes ..... \$1.69  
Misses' sizes ..... \$1.49  
Child's sizes ..... \$1.29

### Satin Boudoir Slipper



Made with pad-  
ded leather  
soles; 5 colors.  
On  
sale ..... \$1.19

Women's Kid  
Boudoir Slip-  
pers. Soft kid  
uppers, pad-  
ded  
soles ..... \$1.00

### Men's Fine Kid Slippers

Of genuine kid in dark brown. Turn soles. Opera, Everett  
or Romeo styles. On sale way ..... \$2.48

below regular ..... \$2.48

### Men's Felt Slippers

Leather soles ..... \$1.48  
all sizes..



## Kafateria Shoe Store

211 WEST FOURTH STREET—SANTA ANA

OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL CHRISTMAS



## PLEADS GUILTY TO ROBBING OF BANK AT GROVE

J. H. McClure, 23, Long Beach youth, who robbed the Citizens bank, of Garden Grove, of \$4500 several weeks ago, pleaded not guilty by reason of insanity today when he was arraigned before Superior Judge James L. Allen.

This is said to be the first pleading of this nature since it was made possible by recent legislation and means that McClure will be tried on two charges. He will attempt to prove first that he did not commit the crime and second that, if committed, it was caused by insanity, according to an explanation by Chief District Attorney L. W. Blodgett, who is prosecuting him.

McClure will be tried January 13. He was captured December 6, immediately after the robbery, by Deputy Sheriff Henry Blasholder. McClure had lured L. W. Schaefer, cashier, and other employees in the bank vault.

**RAPID RISE**  
NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Abraham Bricken, an immigrant tailor, who came here from Russia 22 years ago, now owns several skyscrapers, including the world's third tallest office building.

### Legal Notice

#### ORDINANCE NO. 827

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SANTA ANA, ESTABLISHING SET-BACK LINES UPON EAST AND WEST SEVENTEENTH STREET, EAST AND WEST FIRST STREET, SOUTH MAIN STREET AND NORTH MAIN STREET OF NORTH MAIN STREET.

The City Council of the City of Santa Ana do hereby ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the public interest and convenience requires, and there is hereby established set-back lines upon the following streets in the City of Santa Ana, California, between which and the respective street lines of said streets it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to erect any building, wall, fence or other structure, to-wit:

West Seventeenth Street on the south side thereof, from the West City limits to the East line of said street, ten (10) feet outside of the present North line of said street.

West Seventeenth Street on the north side thereof from the West City limits to the East line of said street, ten (10) feet outside of the present North line of said street.

West Seventeenth Street on the south side thereof from a point 65.88 feet East of the East line of Baker Street to Greenleaf Street, ten (10) feet outside of the present North line of said street.

West Seventeenth Street on the north side thereof from Greenleaf Street to Main Street, fourteen (14) feet outside of the present North line of said street.

West First Street, from Main Street to the Eastern City limits, ten (10) feet outside of the present North and South lines respectively of said street.

West First Street on the North side thereof, from a point 690 feet East of the East line of Tract No. 139, five (5) feet outside of the present South line of said street.

West First Street on the South side thereof, from the Eastern City limits to the East line of Tract No. 139, five (5) feet outside of the present South line of said street.

East First Street on the North side thereof, from Main Street to McGraw Street, five (5) feet outside of the present North and South lines respectively of said portions of said street.

East First Street on the North side thereof, from Grand Avenue to the Eastern City limits, two (2) feet outside of the present North line of said portion of said street.

East First Street on the South side thereof from McGraw Street to the West line of Menges and Crook's division, two (2) feet outside of the present South line of said portion of said street.

East First Street on the South side thereof, from the West line of Menges and Crook's Subdivision to the Eastern City limits, three (3) feet outside of the present South line of said portion of said street.

South Main Street from First Street to Edinger Street on both sides of said street, five (5) feet outside of the present East and West lines respectively of said street.

South Main Street from Edinger Street to the Southern City limits, seven (7) feet outside of the present East and West lines respectively of said street.

North Main Street from Sixth Street to Seventeenth Street on both sides of said street, ten (10) feet outside of the present East and West lines respectively of said street.

North Main Street on the West side thereof, from Seventeenth Street to Santa Clara Avenue, and the East side thereof from Seventeenth Street to the South line of Tract No. 139, of Miscellaneous Maps, Records of Orange County, California, seven

feet outside of the present East and West lines respectively of said street.

Witness my hand and the Seal of the City of Santa Ana, this 19th day of December, 1927.

F. L. PURTONT,  
Mayor of the City of Santa Ana  
Attest: E. L. Vegely,  
City Clerk of the City of Santa Ana.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was introduced at an adjourned regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Santa Ana held on the 12th day of December, 1927, and that the same was duly passed and adopted at a special meeting of the said City Council held on the 19th day of December, 1927, by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes, Trustees: J. L. McBride, W. J. Kelly, W. G. Knox, Stanley E. Goode, F. L. Purnton.  
Noes, Trustees: None.  
Absent, Trustees: None.  
Attest: E. L. Vegely,  
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**BROWN QUILTS!**  
Going out of the Furniture Business.

Store Rooms for rent, fixtures for sale. Leaving City.  
Santa Ana is too small a city to conduct a cash furniture store.

We will move back to San Diego  
People—here is the chance you have been waiting for—  
This large, new, clean stock of furniture, stoves and rugs will be SLAUGHTERED and sold regardless of value.

Sale now on and will continue until all goods are sold.

**Brown's Furniture Shoppe**  
1103-1105 North Main Street Santa Ana

## FLIES TO HIS WEDDING

Using an airplane on the last lap of his 9000-mile journey from Peking, China, Forsythe Sherfesse arrived in Chicago to take as his bride Mrs. Emile Borie Ryerson, whom he met in China. The bride, shown above with the bridegroom, is the widow of Arthur Ryerson who lost his life in the Titanic disaster.



## BUYS XMAS GIFTS; THEN TRIES SUICIDE

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 23.—A few hours after he had purchased Christmas presents for his mother, brother and sister, Johnny Evans, 19, of Lafayette, Colo., attempted suicide here by drinking poison.

"I've given my folks a lot of trouble," he explained at the hospital, where he is recovering. "I thought the purchase of the presents was as foolish as the rest of my life had been and I determined to end it all."

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and one-half feet outside of the present East and West lines respectively of said portion of said street.

North Main Street on the West side thereof, from Santa Clara Avenue to the Northern City limits of said City, and on the East side thereof from the South line of Block "B" of Tract No. 139, of Miscellaneous Maps, Records of Orange County, California, to the Northern limits of said City, twelve (12) feet outside of the present East and West lines respectively of said portion of said street.

Section 2. That the foregoing set-back lines are established after a resolution of intention was duly passed and adopted, and a hearing held thereon, after notice by publication and posting in the manner prescribed by Ordinance No. 812 of the City of Santa Ana, entitled, "An Ordinance Prescribing the Method of Procedure for Establishing Set-back Lines in the City of Santa Ana, and the City Council having heard and passed upon all protests or objections filed or made to the establishment of said set-back lines."

Section 3. That the building inspector of the City of Santa Ana shall refuse to issue any permit for any building, wall, fence or other structure proposed to be erected within the space between the present street lines of the above mentioned streets and the set-back lines heretofore established by this ordinance.

Section 4. That any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punishable by a fine of not more than \$500.00 or by imprisonment in the County Jail of the County of Orange, for a period of not more than six (6) months, or by both such fine and imprisonment. Each such person, firm or corporation shall be deemed guilty of a separate offense for each day during any violation of which any violation of this ordinance shall be permitted, continued or committed by such person, firm or corporation, and shall be punishable therefor as provided by this Ordinance.

Section 5. That the City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this ordinance and cause the same to be published three (3) times in the Santa Ana Daily Evening Register, a daily newspaper printed, published and generally circulated in the City of Santa Ana, and the same shall take effect and be in force thirty (30) days from the date of its final passage.

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**BEN'S BARBER SHOP**  
Ben F. Herrick, Prop.  
314 Bush St.  
Specializing in Ladies' and Children's Haircutting

**SAVE THIS COUPON**  
This coupon and \$1.50 will entitle the holder to one \$2.50 airplane ride at Eddie Martin's Airport, at Newport Blvd. and South Main Street. Not good after December 26th.

## CITY TO READ WATER METERS ON FIRST DAY

Water consumers in Santa Ana will be thrown into confusion when they receive their first bills in January under the new policy of handling the water accounts to become effective on that date.

E. B. Collier, city manager, today pointed out that beginning with February 1, bills would be mailed out the day following the reading of meters, this bringing the account up to date instead of being from one month to six weeks late.

Under the present plans all bills have been mailed out on or before the fifth of each month, although the meter readings may have been as far back as six weeks before. The bills sent out in January will be on this basis, but in February the statement will carry from the date of reading for the January bill up to the date in February on which a meter is read. This will make the February bill a little larger because of the fact there will be a balance due on the old account.

Commenting on the past policy of handling the accounts, Collier emphasized the point of the possibility of larger bills in February by pointing that under the old plan a meter might be read on the 15th day of November, but that the bill would not be rendered until the January statements were mailed out on the fifth of the month. The consumer then had 15 days in which to pay the account without penalty and 20 days in which to pay before the service would be discontinued.

"Under the new plan all bills will be due when received and delinquent 15 days after the dating," Collier said. "I feel that the average water consumer will be better satisfied to have his bill up to date, rather than from 30 to 35 days late. We have more than 8000 consumers and a vast amount of work is involved in making the readings and getting out the bills at one time each month. Mailing of bills on the day following the readings will facilitate the handling of the details of the office, and should not cause patrons inconvenience."

A. C. Hasenjaeger, recently appointed manager of the water office, is busily engaged in working out details of plans that will be made effective on February 1.

At the same time the policy of giving credit for unused water on the basis of the minimum charge per month will be discontinued, but credits already accumulated will be recognized and honored.

The officers were given orders to hold themselves in readiness for another man-hunt at 10 minutes' notice, giving them the impression that they may be called out again within the next 24 hours to search for the man who is believed to have aided Hickman in the murder of Marion Parker, they said.

## MOTOR TRAFFIC OFFICERS BACK ON DUTY HERE

Orange county state traffic officers returned to Santa Ana last night after a three day search made for Edward Hickman, captured in Oregon.

The local officers were stationed on roads in various parts of California during the hunt. Officers Yoder and Chambers were given posts on the ridge route where they found climate far different from what they were accustomed to here.

Yoder said that he and Chambers bucked a heavy snow storm for 35 miles, one day.

The officers were given orders to hold themselves in readiness for another man-hunt at 10 minutes' notice, giving them the impression that they may be called out again within the next 24 hours to search for the man who is believed to have aided Hickman in the murder of Marion Parker, they said.

Advantages Of Adult Colleges Cited By Cooper

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Dec. 23.—Growing demand for "adult colleges" by the American social and political life is held significant by William John Cooper, director of the California department of education.

Fundamental purposes met by such instruction, according to Cooper, are vocational improvements of adults and persons who change occupations, re-education of persons, who because of injury or disease, cannot continue in their former occupations, and third, fostering development of citizenship.

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### BOLSA

BOLSA, Dec. 23.—Mrs. Willoughby, principal of the Bolsa elementary school, has left for Arizona, where she will spend her vacation with relatives.

Reunions and dinners have been the order of the day in the Shutt, Radford and Gardner families since the arrival last Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. John Shutt Jr., Miss Bessie Gardner, Miss Lucille Radford and Miss Flossie Draper from the north.

Saturday evening, Miss Lucille Radford was the honor guest at a dinner given by her grand-

mother, Mrs. J. D. Shutt, who entertained in observance of Miss Radford's birthday anniversary. Those present being, Miss Radford, Elmer Radford, Tom Radford, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Shutt Jr., of Marysville; Miss Flossie Draper, of Stockton; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Johnson, of Newport Beach, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Shutt, Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gardner entertained the same party, with the addition of their own family, the Misses Bessie Gardner, of Stockton, and Margaret, Myrtle and Dorothy Gardner, of the home.

Frank Walker has returned from a vacation trip of several days

spent in San Diego county. The dance held Saturday evening at the Bolsa clubhouse will be the last until after the holidays, the club not having planned anything for Christmas this year.

Mr. and Mrs. John Farnsworth entertained over Saturday night and Sunday, Miss Bertha Gross, of Los Angeles, a cousin of Mrs. Farnsworth.

Mrs. Mary Richardson has been ill at her home since the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Farnsworth entertained at a dinner party Wednesday evening Mrs. Farnsworth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Howard; brother and sis-

ter-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wallace and family, of Garden Grove.

Two of the eucalyptus trees which for many years have stood in the corner of the Bolsa school grounds, are being taken out this week by Elmer Morgan and Brooks Stroud.

### NOT EXPOSURE

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Bathing in one's own home is not "indecent exposure," Judge Daniel Trude ruled in the case of A. T. Bond, investigator for a reform organization. Trude intimated he believed Bond was arrested because of his reform activities.



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## COUNTY POLICE FAIL TO FIND RANCH BURGLAR

Orange county deputy sheriffs made a fruitless search in Los Angeles yesterday for a thief who stole goods valued at several hundreds of dollars from the Nimmo ranch, near Irvine, several days ago.

A suspect trailed to Los Angeles and said to have been carrying a heavy suitcase, managed to escape in the crowds of Christmas shoppers after Los Angeles was reached, it was said. Deputy Sheriff Harry Carter is handling the case.

The bunk house of the Nimmo ranch was entered and the following articles stolen: A saddle, a silver mounted bridle bit, a 20-foot rawhide rope, a 40-foot horse rope, black suit case, three pairs of shoes, one leather coat, raincoat, one pair blankets, three single blankets, a shirt, \$25 in cash, flashlight, a suit of clothes, two alarm clocks and two pairs of socks.

## PLEADS NOT GUILTY TO LIQUOR CHARGES

Admitting two former convictions on liquor charges, Charles Gillis today pleaded not guilty to possession of booze in answer to his arraignment before Superior Judge Homer G. Ames, with Deputy District Attorney S. B. Kaufman representing the people.

D. G. Wettlin, counsel for Gillis, previously had attempted to have the case dismissed on the ground that the information against Gillis had not been filed within the time prescribed by law.

After arguments by Kaufman and Wettlin, Judge Ames ruled in favor of Kaufman. The case was set for trial January 10.

### TOYS

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Franklin West announced last night that he, with several other Legion men would be at the Legion home on Birch street next Thursday night for the purpose of aiding vets in procuring their adjusted compensation from the government before the first of the year.

Blanks will be filled out, Herman Zabel will make the finger prints and the applications can be in the mail before December 31, the last day allowed by the government for making applications.

Legion men and ex-service men in general should take advantage of this last chance to get their adjusted compensation. It means hundreds of dollars to those who have not applied and it will be their last chance.

Jules Markel's talk on the need for a "bigger and better" funeral committee, made last night at the post meeting, was well taken. "As the years roll by, more and more funerals will be held," he said, "and we should have these military funerals done right or not at all," he said.

The Christmas party idea, as carried out by the post last night, was a hit in every sense of the word, as shown by the large attendance. The turkey dinner was better than expected and much credit is due Commander Van Wyk, who procured the turkeys and the auxiliary for the cooking.

California World War vets will receive more than \$1,000,000 worth of home and farm loans during the month of December, State Commander Phil Dodson of the Legion has just been informed by George Stout, secretary of the state veterans' welfare board. Approximately 220 veterans will get the loans as Christmas presents and a number of them reside in Orange county, it was said.

### ELLISON GETS JOB

Bert Ellison, former San Francisco manager, will be manager of the Dallas Texas league club in 1928.

Dog Feed at Newcom's—Adv.

## GEORGE DUNCAN IS HONORED BY BUSINESS MEN

The election of G. W. Duncan, business manager of the Santa Ana board of education, to the presidency of the Secretaries' and Business Managers' association of Southern California was announced today.

The organization includes members from every point in the southern part of the state and met in Los Angeles Wednesday when Duncan was chosen for the post for the coming year. This is the second term of his service as business manager here, where his record has been commented on as being extremely successful and efficient.

Duncan will preside at the monthly meetings of the organization. Its purposes are to give each member the benefit of others' experiences in order that better administration from the business angle may be effected. The new president pointed out today one of the means whereby the whole association may gain from cooperation in purchasing supplies. He does not suggest community buying, but believes that if each school attempts to spread its purchasing over a longer period instead of buying all materials at the same time other schools are buying theirs, better service and prices might be secured. At present manufacturers are forced to handle a peak load at one time, tending to delay delivery and raise prices, he pointed out.

He hopes to develop standing committees in the organization, headed by specialists in various phases of the business manager's work. In this way a concerted attempt to gain information on better means of administering school business will be made.

Another innovation decided on at the time Duncan was elected is the decision for all members of the association to meet every Saturday at Los Angeles where they will study school law under an expert on the subject.

Duncan has been business manager for almost two years here. Before his appointment he was head of the shop department of the high school for two years. He is a graduate engineer and his experience and training in this profession have enabled him to give Santa Ana what is said to be one of the most efficient administrations from the business angle in Southern California.

In his new post he succeeds John Cate, of Glendale, who was returned by the organization as vice president. Frank E. Searle, of Alhambra, was chosen secretary-treasurer.

## CHICK SHIELDS IS "OUR GANG" WINNER

If freckles have anything to do with it there can be no doubt but that Chick Shields will win the "Our Gang" talent contest being conducted by the West Coast theaters. He was chosen winner of the fourth elimination held this week at the West Coast-Walker theater.

Jimmy Johnson of 1481 Cypress avenue was chosen second. Winners in previous eliminations were Jimmy Dick Farren, Jackie James, Jackie Gold, Dick Fuller, Max Pederson, and Jackie Buttler. Following the semi-final eliminations when the contest will be narrowed to three contestants a winner will be chosen who will represent Santa Ana at the Metropolitan theater in Los Angeles. The winner of the Los Angeles competition will receive a three months' contract with Hal Roach to appear in "Our Gang" comedies with a salary of \$100 per week.

Newcom's Seed Grows—Adv.

## IS ARRESTED AFTER CAR HITS OFFICER

Rudy Goetz, 26, oil station proprietor at South Main street and Delhi road, was arrested yesterday afternoon at Fourth and Main streets, after his car had struck A. T. Holmes, traffic officer.

The driver was charged with reckless driving. Brought into police court immediately by Holmes. Goetz pleaded not guilty and asked for a jury trial. Bail was fixed at \$250 which he made and the trial set for tomorrow morning.

Holmes was knocked down when Goetz disobeyed traffic signals at the corner, according to officers.

## FINED \$300 ON CONVICTION OF POLLUTING BAY

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—Up-holding the contention of the division of fish and game of the department of natural resources in its fight to suppress and prevent pollution of the bay and river waters of the state, Judge Leon Gray of the superior court of Alameda county has affirmed the conviction of the Sudden and Christensen company in police court where the company was ordered to pay a fine of \$300.

The fine was assessed as a result of the charge made by John Spencer, director of hydraulics for the fish and game division, that the steamer "Edna Christensen" had discharged bilge water loaded with oil into the waters of the estuary on August 10.

The case was tried before Judge McKinnon of Emeryville, sitting in the Oakland police court in place of Judge Bacon. Testimony regarding the complaint and the offense was given by Spencer, Deputy Fish and Game Commissioner J. L. Bundock and Charles Jennings, police officer on the Oakland force, who witnesses the discharge of oil into the bay. McKinnon found the defendant company guilty and levied the fine mentioned, but the case was appealed with the result above noted.

"Sustaining of the people in this case will have a mighty good effect on steamship masters and engineers who feel that bilge water containing oil can be discharged into the bay waters, and Judge Gray's decision is much appreciated by the commission," Eugene D. Bennett, executive and attorney for the commission, declared when advised of the action of the court.

### NEW JAPANESE PAPER

HILLO, Hawaii, T. H., Dec. 23.—Articles of association for the Hawaii Mainichi Sha, a Japanese newspaper to be published here, were filed in Honolulu recently. A few days ago sponsors of the new newspaper announced that the Mainichi Sha would open a radio station.

## AT THE THEATER

YOST BROADWAY THEATER

"Gun Gospel," the current western picture now showing at the Yost Broadway theater, starring Ken Maynard, finds this popular star in an entirely different role than he has heretofore undertaken. Through a trick in circumstances he is forced to don the garb of a clergyman and not only carry on the meetings of the church, but attend the social functions that go with the parish of a gun-carrying community. The story gives Ken ample opportunities to display his skill in trick and stunt riding.

The cast includes Virginia Browne Fair, who has the leading feminine role; Noah Young, Bob Flemming, Slim Whitaker, J. P. McGowan, Romaine Fielding, Jerry Madden, and the marvelously trained horse, Tarzan.

### WEST END THEATER

Followers of that newly created western star, Bob Steele, who made such a rapid bid for fame in his first picture, will tonight have their last opportunities to see him in the second of his series, "The Bandit's Son," which is scheduled to close its run at the West End theater.

"The Bandit's Son," from a story by Frank Howard Clark, deals with the adventure of a stalwart western youth whose father bears the stigma of having been a famous gunman in his younger days. As the lead, Bob saves his father from hanging for a crime of which he was innocent, and incidentally wins the love of the paragon's daughter, played by the beautiful Ann Sheridan.

### WEST COAST-WALKER

Motion picture audiences of today, dissatisfied with crude studio set-ups and faded scenic effects, are clamoring for authentic back-grounds as a setting for film productions. True locations are especially desirable in western pictures, and with this necessity in mind, a wild, little-settled mining district of Arizona was selected for the filming of "Arizona Nights."

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now playing at the West Coast-Walker theater.

Director Lloyd Ingraham took his company, headed by Fred Thomson, popular western player, to a small Arizona settlement where the picture was in the process of filming for an extended time. The scenery of the surrounding section is said to lend an atmosphere of beauty to "Arizona Nights" seldom found in a western picture.

The production, adapted from Stewart Edward White's story, based on an entirely new theme. True western frontier life in a mining district is faithfully reproduced, with all the thrilling episodes which have attended the early existence of all such border towns. A sweet love story is entwined with fast-moving action, an ideal combination from the entertainment standpoint.

### G. AND L. LEASE

G. AND L. LEASE, Dec. 23.—Mrs. Julius Slay and little daughter spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hendricks in Brea. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Albertson and daughter, Julia, spent Tuesday with friends in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ross motored to Long Beach Monday to spend the day with their son. Returning with them were their son, Gene, and a friend, Don White.

Miss Lucille Brawley spent Monday with friends in Yorba Linda. Garf Lloyd was here Sunday from Wilmington to visit with his sister, Mrs. Annie Varner, and his son, Kenneth. He also called on his niece, Mrs. Bernie Messer.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brabby, who have been spending several days at the W. E. Pope home, have

gone to visit Mrs. Brobby's other sister, Mrs. George Myer, in Long Beach.

Mrs. Tom White and daughter, Mildred, attended the wedding of Miss Constance King, of Brea, and Cyrus Young, of La Habra. Gus Peterson, of Placentia, and John Anderson, of Brea, had a serious accident on this lease Sunday morning when their car hit a

fallen tree.

Ruby White and Calvin Varner were among those of the sophomore class of the Brea-Olinda high school who spent Monday at Mt. Baldy.

Gordon Jones and Kenneth Lloyd were at Mt. Baldy Monday. Charles Ray and Lucile Brawley attended a Sunday school party in Brea Monday afternoon.

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## CHILDREN SING CHRISTMAS CAROLS AT GATHERING OF LIONS CLUB THURSDAY NOON

Songs and recitations by a group of little children, a Christmas address by the Rev. Perry F. Schrock, "sky pilot" of the club, vocal selections by Robert Brown and Robert Speed and the passing of presents to members featured the meeting yesterday of the Lions club, when the pleasure hour of the club was given over entirely to a Christmas program.

Judge Kenneth Morrison, program chairman, assembled the children from different schools in the city, and from the Sunday schools of the First Methodist church and Spurgeon Memorial Methodist church, south. The numbers selected were the best on some of the programs rendered by the school organizations. The little folk were in charge of Mrs. Thos. N. Hubbard, Mrs. Morrison and Mrs. F. R. Schweitzer.

The program offered by the children was as follows:

Song, "Away in the Manger," Cornelia Palmer, Joyce Hubbard, Lila Slaback, Eileen Reed, accompanied by Mrs. Hubbard; Bible reading, Cornelia Palmer, Eileen Reed; recitation, "An Unselfish Little Girl," Marjorie Masters; recitation, "The Christmas Tree," Virginia Scott; song, Christmas Lullaby, Cornelia Palmer, Joyce Hubbard, Lila Slaback, Eileen Reed, accompanied by Mrs. Hubbard; recitation, "Santa's Cake," Felicitia Dahl; recitation, "Santa's Mistake," Gilbert Lee Bradford; solo, "Silent Knight," Olive Schweitzer, accompanied by Helen Holmes.

Following the children's program, the Rev. Mr. Schrock said that to him Christmas meant just what the club had seen and heard—music, poetry and the happiness of children. To him, Christmas meant, second, friendship—a season which ties together friends near and far—and he added, "as

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## NEW HEAD OF GAME DEPT. IS WORKING HARD

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—Eugene D. Bennett, newly appointed executive officer and attorney for the division of fish and game of the department of natural resources, believes in work as a stimulant to his force. Just to keep his hand in, Bennett in his capacity as attorney for the division has just tried and won his first case since taking over his office.

In winning the case the new fish and game head figured in the condemning of the biggest gill net ever captured in California, when this illegal fishing gear was declared contraband in the Court of Superior Judge W. D. O'Donnell at Fairfield in Solano county. The two nets involved in the case were taken from Andrew Nichols and Pete Chapalas by Deputies William Armstrong and Charles England, and totaled 1,665 fathoms in length. This represents 9,990 feet or almost two miles of net.

The two fishermen were arrested on November 15 while using the nets in the upper reaches of San Pablo Bay near Mare Island, which is in fish and game district No. 2.

As the nets can only be used for what is termed "blocking off" they must be used illegally and the Fish and Game division insists that such equipment be condemned.

Bennett was opposed in the trial of the case by Lindauer and Horan, attorneys of Vallejo, who put up a stiff fight to save the nets for their clients. The new fish and game executive had little difficulty in convincing Judge O'Donnell that the nets were illegal and should be destroyed.

### MIDWAY CITY

MIDWAY CITY, Dec. 23.—A Christmas party with a program was enjoyed Monday evening at the Southwest Poultry plant at Midway City by about 50 persons. The evening was devoted entirely to sociability. Mrs. Alfred Lutken rendered two Hawaiian songs with ukulele accompaniment. Music of a Christmas nature was enjoyed as was community singing. A telegram writing contest was offered as one feature of the entertainment furnished by Mrs. Kipkham, who was hostess of the evening.

Next Monday evening the regular business meeting of the Poultry association will be held. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lutken spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Lutken's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Thompson, of Santa Ana canyon.

Mr. Gillispie had as a Sunday night visitor, Mr. Kuder, brother of Superintendent Kuder of the poultry association.

Mrs. V. Ferguson was confined to her home by illness several days this week.

### PLACENTIA

PLACENTIA, Dec. 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Staley are planning a Christmas party for a family group Sunday. Their guests will be Mrs. Drucilla Staley, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Pendleton, A. T. Pendleton and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Linebarger and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Anderson will entertain at dinner Christmas eve Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anderson and son John, and daughter, Lorraine; Mr. and Mrs. Harold McGraw, of Fullerton; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Jackson, of Whittier; E. E. Jackson, of Los Angeles; and Mr. and Mrs. T. Anderson, of Placentia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank F. Hill, will have as guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Beck, Dr. and Mrs. Harry Straub and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. Rowell and daughter, Clara, all of Los Angeles.

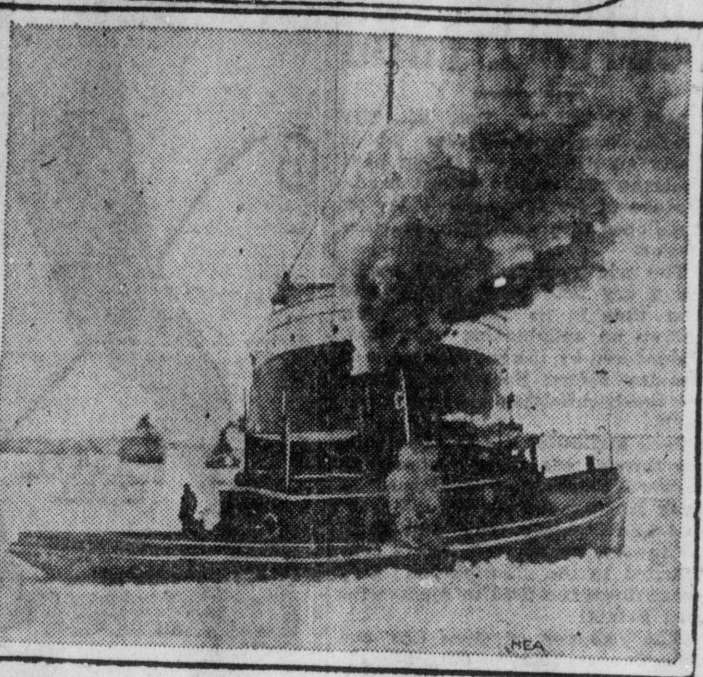
Mr. and Mrs. John Golaspy will entertain at dinner Christmas day, with covers laid for Mr. and Mrs. T. Stansbury, Billy Anderson, of Placentia; Adame Kraft, of Anaheim; and Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Normandy and son, Donald, of Compton.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hall and daughters, will spend Christmas with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Kinney, in Pasadena.

Mr. and Mrs. Orman Harlow will serve Christmas dinner Monday Mr.

## WHERE WINTER GRIPS SHIPS

The hand of winter has reached out over the Great Lakes and played havoc with ships caught in ice-locked channels. The picture at the top shows the tug General rescuing the crew of 21 men of the steamer Agawa which ran aground on Advance Reef of Manitoulin Island, Lake Huron. The crew was imprisoned for days in the ice-encrusted observation room, with little food or heat. The picture below was taken in the St. Mary's river below Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., where several large boats have been imprisoned in the ice. The tug is trying to break a path for the big steamer.



and Mrs. D. M. Harlow, of Fullerton, and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hill and son, Robert, of Pomona.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. O'Brian and Mr. and Mrs. Jennings D. Sturdevant will entertain jointly at dinner Monday at the home of the former on Kraemer avenue. Their guests will be Mrs. Annie J. East, of Los Angeles; Mrs. Mary Sumwalt, Miss Ada Studevant, Clyde Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. Warren W. Blackmer and the former's grandson, Corporal Kenneth B. Bide, of the U. S. S. Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Schade will serve a turkey dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Coackley, of Lomita; Mrs. M. Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Elvy of Placentia, as guests.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Tuffere will entertain at dinner Sunday the latter's mother, Mrs. Kate Lee, of Balboa, and sister, Mrs. Waldo O'Kelly, and son, Lee, of Fullerton.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald G. Young will be guests Christmas in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dieke in Pasadena.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tuffere have the latter's aunt, Mrs. Ella Normandy, as their guest over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Glynn are entertaining at dinner Christmas eve. Covers will be laid for Mr. and Mrs. George Michel of Brawley; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Michel and daughter, Elizabeth; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ford and daughter, Sylvia, and son, Frank; Harry Hartman, Mrs. Clara Hartman, all of Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Steiner, of Hollywood, and Mrs. Glynn's mother, Mrs. C. F. Michel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pepper will have as guests Christmas day, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fowell, of Los Angeles.

Drs. Walter and Beatrice McMullen will be guests Sunday at the home of the former's aunts, Miss Lydia Littell and Mrs. Mary Burno and her daughter, Dr. Louise Burns, in South Pasadena.

Prof. and Mrs. Glenn Riddlebarger are planning a dinner party for

be guests Christmas evening at a family dinner party at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mansur, in Santa Ana.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Carlson will serve dinner at their home on Palm drive to Mrs. C. G. Carlson and daughter, Hilda, and Mrs. Laura Delaney and children, of Brea; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sittling, and Mr. and Mrs. Austin Cody and son, Harold, of Laguna, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walker, of Redlands.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Aldridge will entertain at dinner Sunday the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Buckles and an uncle and aunt, Will Chappel and Alice Chappel; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chavis and son, Raymond, of San Dimas; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chavis Jr., of Pomona, and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Buckles and son, Bobbie, of Placentia.

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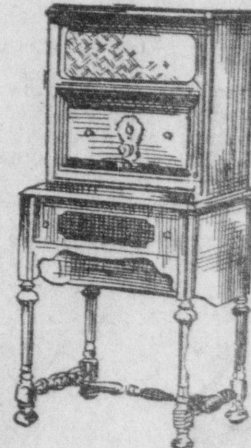
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CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Major Frederik McLaughlin, president of the Chicago Black Hawks hockey team, was named defendant with two other officials in a \$700,000 damage suit filed in federal court yesterday by Edward J. Livingston. Livingston alleged unsportsmanlike tactics by McLaughlin ruined his hockey team.



SPOKANE, Dec. 23.—Gonzaga university has been offered a football game at Los Angeles with Loyola university, it was announced here today. November 24 was suggested as the date. A game here next season with the University of Detroit has been dropped from consideration, it was stated, because of inability to agree on a date.

## SPORTSMATTER

BY FRANK GETTY  
UNITED PRESS SPORTS EDITOR

At approximately the anniversary appropriate to the singing of "Peace on earth, good will to men," we find the sports world torn with dissension.

There is no peace in baseball, certainly, where the majors and the minors await only the coming of February to declare open war.

In football, the Army and the Navy, traditional rivals who thrill a nation with their gridiron activity each fall, disagree so violently over the question of eligibility that they may never meet again.

Boxing is on the down grade. Lack of genuine competition, the conflicting greed of promoters and boxers, and a growing suspicion that all is not necessarily on the "up-and-up" are gradually souring the public towards the practice of fistfights.

The tennis world is torn by disputes in France and the United States, the two principal tennis playing nations just at the moment. Over in France they have a situation somewhat similar to that which confronted American tennis a few years ago, in which the leading players are at odds with the game's officials.

In the United States we have William T. Tilden II and Francis T. Hunter telling the United States Lawn Tennis association what they will and will not do for their country, but it is by no means certain that when the 1928 season rolls around this pair will be ranked as the leading amateur players of the country.

Aside from a few perfectly normal disagreements, the game of golf enjoys seasonal peace.

Some sort of patched-up peace is expected in baseball, and the demand for the Army-Navy game has proved stronger than the insistence of each academy upon its rights.

Tex Rickard expects to start the new year right by giving boxing a badly needed hypodermic, and the fate of Tilden and Hunter is nothing to worry greatly about.

So everything probably will come out all right, after all. But things did look rather blue, just for a minute there.

No sooner had the cigar smoke from the baseball meetings been fanned out of the lobbies of New York hotels than the football talkers moved in.

Next week we will listen to the annual talkfests of the coaches, athletic directors and whatnot, and the gridiron game will go on the verbal grid.

"Bring back the goal posts" is the watchword of a determined group which will move and second recommendations to the rules committee.

This slogan has no reference to the prankish practice of tearing up the enemy's goal posts in the exuberance of victory. It has to do with returning the goal posts to the goal line.

Last fall, for the first time, the plan of having the posts ten yards behind the line was tried. Some coaches expressed satisfaction and certainly fewer field goals were kicked. Many a game was lost by the margin of the point after touchdown.

One of the chief arguments of those who favor return of the posts to their original position is that they afford the spectators an opportunity to see just when a touchdown has been made, even if they are seated at one of the considerable distances now prevalent in football stadiums.

The goal line itself is often obscured in mud, and at least is invisible from the other end of the field. When a play involving a matter of inches or even a few feet is made at one goal line, spectators some distance away cannot tell whether or not a touchdown has been scored, and therefore are deprived of the principal thrill of the game.

When they had the goal posts to go by, they usually could tell pretty well whether or not the halfback had punched his way across the line.



To Herb Pennock, of the New York Yankees, goes all the credit for pitching the most courageous game I have ever seen a big leaguer register.

This same Pennock, frail of stature, but with a heart of oak, has pitched many remarkable games during his career in the majors. Lacking the burning speed of southpaws like Waddell and Grove, Pennock, with far less stuff, ranks among the five greatest southpaws of the last 25 years.

In the last world series between New York and Pittsburgh, he gave one of his sterling performances when he set down 22 of the Pirates in order. It seemed for a time as if he might pitch a perfect game.

However, just prior to the start of the eighth session, the Yanks had enjoyed a batting rally that took about 10 minutes and Pennock, sitting on the bench, so cooled off that he wasn't at his best when he returned to the rubber.

When one speaks of a courageous exhibition of pitching, the inference is that the game must have been a low score affair, featuring air tight hurling.

Quite to the contrary, in the game where Pennock showed me there never was a more lion-hearted pitcher, he was battered

hard throughout. And, after all, that is when it takes real courage to carry on.

The game I have in mind was the sixth and crucial one of the 1923 world series. Pennock had won one game and saved another by his relief work. Selected to pitch the sixth game, with the count standing three games to two in favor of the Yankees, it was apparent the New York Americans had a great chance to triumph over the Giants, unless Pennock had been overworked.

I had my doubts when Pennock stepped to the mound, for I feared three games in five days, two of which he started, would prove too great a task. After I saw him pitch for an inning, I was positive he was far from the top of his game.

It was evident from the way the Giants slammed away at his offerings that he didn't have his usual stuff. However, he did have his customary poise and uncanny control.

Babe Ruth staked Pennock to a one-run lead with a home run drive in the first inning but three slashing hits by the Giants quickly evened the count in their half.

In the fourth inning, two hits gave the Giants the run that sent McGraw's team into the lead. A home run by Catcher Frank Snyder in the sixth stretched the margin to two runs.

In every inning the Giants pecked away at Pennock's delivery. It seemed they would score in every session but always some

thing. (Continued on Page 13)

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# C. I. F. MAY REORGANIZE LEAGUES

## REMAINING MEMBERSHIPS IN SANTA ANA COUNTRY CLUB TO BE SOLD OUTRIGHT FOR \$500

The 11 remaining memberships in the Santa Ana Country club, sold once but available again for various reasons, will be disposed of for the conservative sum of \$500, directors of the local golfing organization announced definitely today. This count is a virtual compromise of those who wanted the price to remain at \$400 and those who advocated an increase to \$600 or \$700.

The Santa Ana club will become a closed organization when these memberships are sold and the price is confidently expected to jump several hundred dollars within a year, members believe.

All of the 400 memberships were sold but 11 either failed to pay their dues, neglected to meet their payments or for other reasons were dropped from the rolls.

When country club members held their celebration assembly last week, President H. B. Van Dlen presented the proposition and asked for opinions as to what should be done, financially, with the few remaining certificates. There was such a divergence of opinion that the matter was left in the hands of the directing board which announced that \$500 would be the tariff.

## COUNTY BALL TEAM TO PLAY TWO GAMES

Orange county's baseball team will be a busy one over the Christmas holidays. Two games, one Sunday and one Monday, have been scheduled, Frank Jones, secretary, announced here today.

The Sunday brawl will take the county color-bearers away from their fair grounds park, however, "Rube" Ellis' gang going to Hollywood for a regularly scheduled game in the Triple A league.

Monday's encounter will be staged at the Fair grounds, however, the First National Picture corporation's ball club, which includes a number of professional players, being the opposition.

## WOODS APPOINTED TO BOXING BOARD

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 23.—Governor C. C. Young today announced the appointment of James Woods, vice president and manager of the Los Angeles Biltmore hotel, as a member of the state boxing commission, succeeding Louis Almgren of San Diego, whose term expires January 1.



Making a big league manager out of a star player very often ruins his value to the team. The case of Catcher Bob O'Farrell is the most recent example of such a happening.

Bob O'Farrell was voted the most valuable player in the National

league in 1926. He helped the Cardinals to the pennant and world series. Quiet, modest and retiring, he possessed none of the characteristics necessary for a successful manager.

Appointed to succeed Rogers Hornsby, his general play immediately slumped and the Cardinals were greatly handicapped because of his failure to work regularly and show his 1926 form.

With the appointment of Bill McKechnie as manager of the Cards, he goes back to the rank of player and his work should improve.

Teams in the Southwestern conference should be wary of the Centenary eleven next season.

The only defeats given Southwestern conference eleven in eleven non-conference games were administered by the Centenary team. They won four games, including one against the strong S. M. U. outfit, against the teams of

utility player in the majors.

Last season Lazzeri, inside of one month, played three positions in the Yankee infield, second, short

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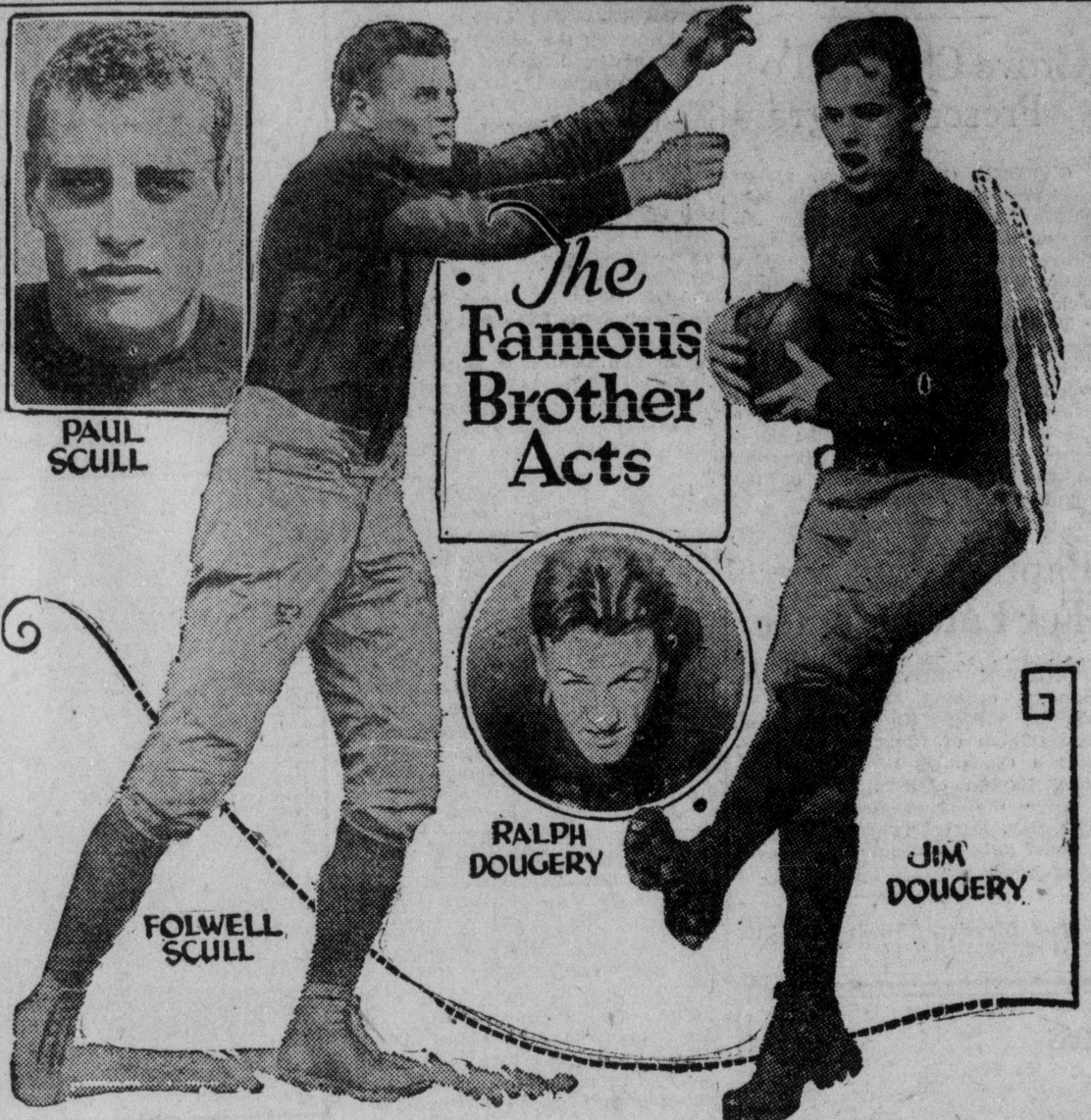
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## CALIFORNIA DOUGERY'S OR PENN SCULLS?

Brothers vs. brothers! Who will stand out in the football classic in Memorial stadium, Berkeley, on December 31? Will it be the California Dougerys or the Pennsylvania Sculls? This "brother-act" will be an interesting sight of this intersectional sweetmeat.



## M'GRAW MEETS SID TERRIS IN BOUT TONIGHT

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—A battle between the two leading lightweights which not only is bound to be hair raising but which may go a long way towards clearing up the situation in the 135-pound division takes place tonight at Madison Square Garden when Sid Terris of New York meets Phil McGraw of Detroit.

If Terris wins—and the "wise money" which so seldom calls the turn wrongly, makes him a 3 to 1 favorite—the "Ghetto ghost" will be in a position to force a title bout with Sammy Mandell, champion of the division.

This is the third meeting between the pair. Terris won a judge's verdict the first although McGraw bounced him to the floor so often that Sid resembled a jumping jack. Their second meeting was a slam bang battle and McGraw won on a foul.

Terris, from a back pedalling, clever jabber has developed into quite a knockout artist in his own right and as he has shown that he can hit as well as box rings around McGraw, the fight is considered by the experts as just about as good as over.

The Detroit lightweights, however, is such a willing mixer and throws such a lot of punches, while sopping up punishment with never a backward step, that it would not be entirely surprising if he were to slip over a right hand wallop and knock Terris out.

If Sidney elects to step in and trade punches with Phil, it promises to be one of the best fights of the year.

The Dougerys versus the Sculls! Brother act versus brother act will be one of the features of the Penn-California game at Berkeley December 31.

And to make it practically equal, each act has one brother in the backfield and the other on an end. Jim Dougery, playing his last year of football and considered one of the best ends on the Pacific coast, and Ralph Dougery, the most versatile player on Nibs Price's eleven, are the principals in California's brother act. Both are regulars.

Paul and Folwell Scull give Penn's brother act. Paul, a back said to be able to do anything any other back can do, is the more prominent of the two, although Brother Folwell is an end label to play quite an important part in the outcome of the game.

You can have your choice at choosing which pair of brothers will outshine each other when they meet.

## Heavyweights To Mix at Stadium

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 23.—Heavyweights will be the attraction in the double main event of the boxing card at Hollywood Legion stadium tonight.

Armand Emanuel will meet Vigo Doman in one of the 10-rounders while Tony Fuente and Jack Roper will tangle in the other.

Doman, of the slugging type with a knockout punch in both hands, will be up against a clever boy in Emanuel. While some rate Emanuel head and shoulders above Doman, the latter is depending upon his hitting ability to pound down the agile Emanuel.

## PING PONG POPULAR

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 23.—Ping pong came into its own here today as nearly 100 players competed for the Colleen Moore trophy. Among the players were Rene Guetara, champion of France; Marjorie "Midge" Gladman, Santa Monica tennis star, and Jack Pickford.

## TRELEAVEN AND FRANK WATKINS CLASH TONIGHT

TONIGHT'S CARD

Main event—Neal Treleven vs. Frank Watkins, 170 pounds.

Semi-windup—Art Lopez vs. Harold Mansfield, 118 pounds.

Preliminaries—Johnnie Gonzales vs. Clarence Bridges, 116 pounds; Everett Carr vs. Roy Nevean, 135 pounds; Kenny Mills vs. Armand Brisson, 118 pounds; Billy Forbes vs. Zeynado Chavez, 135 pounds.

Neal Treleven, who bears every promise of developing into a first rate heavyweight, makes his fifth start at "Red" Hamilton's Huntington Beach Amateur Athletic club tonight. His opponent will be Frank Watkins, a big newcomer to Orange county fisticuffs who all but chased Kid Doty out of the ring last Friday night.

Treleven looks to be too good for Watkins but you never can tell in this mitt racket and one good sock to the jaw can change the complexion of almost anything.

That flashy little Mexican, Art Lopez, gets Harold Mansfield in the semi-windup. Lopez is an active little chap but Mansfield says he can master him and Hamilton gave him the shot.

Clarence Bridges, a new one at the beach arena, draws the feature spot with Johnny Gonzales, one of Jesse Gonzales' boys.

Three other preliminaries, the first at 8:30 o'clock, will bolster the bill.

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The C. I. F. will hold its meeting early in April at which time this plan will be further discussed and probably put to a vote. If it is adopted, schedules will be drawn up in a meeting that will be called in May.

## SCHOOLS WOULD BE DIVIDED IN FOUR SECTIONS

Scheduling of Games with Natural Foes Expected To Replace Plan in Use

Ever anxious to devise some scheme of scheduling football games that will be more satisfactory to California high schools than the present one of league zoning, the Southern division of the C. I. F. today had taken initiative measures expecting to bring about a complete readjustment of the system now in use.

The proposition was discussed at a meeting of the federation yesterday, Bill Cole, the big Tustin coach, and "Tex" Oliver, the Santa Ana leader, representing this district.

Supported heartily by Harry Moore, the leading figure in C. I. F. circles, and endorsed both by Cole and Oliver, the new plan would be in close conformity with that now being used in the Pacific Coast conference of college.

It would, in reality, mean absolute breaking up of all of the prep leagues now in operation the Southland. Consequently, it is entirely probable that this will be the final season for the Coast Preparatory league as well as the Orange County circuit.

It would not, however, mean suspension of the playoffs for the Southern California championship. Roughly, the scheme will create four divisions as follows:

(1) Schools north of Los Angeles; (2) Los Angeles city schools; (3) Schools within the immediate vicinity of Los Angeles; (4) All other Southern California institutions not otherwise grouped.

Each of these divisions would be regrouped into Major and Minor sections and the teams would annually compete for a Major Southern California championship and a Minor Southern California title.

Major schools probably would include schools within an enrollment of less than 500 pupils, the minor section with an enrollment more than that number.

Arrange Own Schedules Instead of a grueling series games, week after week, each school would arrange its own schedule just as do the colleges in conference. Schools would meet five teams, all with competent opponents and with natural rivals, possible. Santa Ana, for instance, probably would expect to meet Fullerton, San Diego, Long Beach, Whittier and perhaps Pasadena Glendale. It also might arrange a practice match or two with teams as it might see fit.

No school would be permitted to play more than five contests in regular series and the teams made the best showing in the schedules would meet some of such aggregation on its sixth game, which would be a playoff game for the championship.

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## LEGIONNAIRES OF SANTA ANA AT BIG PARTY

With a huge Christmas tree, beautifully decorated, standing in the center of the room, more than 200 veterans of the World war, members of the Santa Ana post, American Legion, gathered around it last night at their Christmas party and final meeting of the year.

The enthusiasm of its members, which has made the post one of the outstanding in the state, was apparent throughout the evening, as speeches were made and the program carried out.

J. Frank Burke, editor of The Register, was the honored guest of the evening. Deeply impressed with the large attendance and by the spirit shown, Burke spoke for 15 minutes on the high ideals of the organization and the manner in which the Santa Ana post was working towards its ideals. He pledged the support of his publication to these ideals and frankly told the members that The Register would, at all times, do all in its power to help the post at every turn.

His address was followed by several acts of high class vaudeville from the West Coast-Walker theater, including a college quartette which was called back for encores a number of times, and a Mexican girl gave several Spanish songs that brought her back for encores several times. She was a distinct hit with the Legion men.

Christmas presents were plentiful for all present. The first present, taken from the tree, by William Murphy, who acted as Santa Claus, was for the honored guest, Burke. It was a miniature printing "outfit," including rubber stamps, ink pad and paper.

Charles Van Wyk, commander, was the recipient of a black "baby doll."

As a real Christmas gift, the auxiliary presented to the post a handsome wire screen for the fireplace in the lounge room of the building and then passed out cigars to all. Mrs. Rowena Fultz, auxiliary head, presented the gifts, at the same time wishing the post a merry Christmas and a happy and prosperous new year.

Aside from these gifts, the auxiliary served the post with what was said to be the "biggest and best" dinner of the year. The menu included roast turkey, dressing, cranberry sauce, nuts, mints, salad, plum pudding with hard sauce, peas, potatoes, hot biscuits.

The dinner started at 6:30 p. m. and was followed by the regular order of business which was hurriedly dispensed with to make way for the Christmas entertainment.

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Paavo Nurmi, famous Finnish distance runner, is said to be on his way to America to make his home here.

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Lexington, Mass., March 5:—"I had been suffering from shaving pimples on my neck for years and, I believe, had tried everything under the sun for them without avail. One day on a friend's advice, I purchased some of your Resinol Ointment and was astonished at the quick results. After a week's constant use, the pimples disappeared completely, leaving the skin clear and fresh. I had thought my case was hopeless, so you can readily see why I was overjoyed at this cure! You can be sure that henceforth you have one more loyal booster for your product." (Signed) Fred J. Fox, 8 Bloomfield St.

## MRS. COOLIDGE'S MOTHER ILL

Mrs. Elmira Goodhue, 78, mother of Mrs. Grace Goodhue Coolidge, wife of the president, is reported seriously ill from influenza in a Northampton, (Mass.) hospital. This picture shows Mrs. Coolidge with her mother.



## 170 "Y" BOYS ATTEND PARTY ON WEDNESDAY

One hundred and seventy boys of the Y. M. C. A. found their way to their annual Christmas party Wednesday night, for a loud and hilarious celebration, besides enjoying a program of entertainment which had been provided for them.

Motion pictures, including a popular "Our Gang" comedy, proved a pleasing feature of the program. Norman Burgess, of the Robertson Electric company, was present as the guest of his son, Emerson Burgess, a member of the Y, and he thrilled and delighted the crowd by a clever exhibition of juggling and slack wire work which was of truly professional quality.

After a hour and a half of entertainment, the boys were treated to candy, nuts and raisins, and sent home in good season.

For the remainder of the vacation, T. P. McKee, secretary of the Boys' department, will be occupied with keeping the rooms of the department open daily for play and recreation, and in supervising the various activities which will engage their attention until school opens again.

## SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO

SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO, Dec. 23.—Miss Mildred Congdon, daughter of Walter Congdon, has returned home from school in Pasadena, to be with her father over Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Ross shopped in Santa Ana, Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Thomas Ramos was a holiday shopper in Santa Ana Tuesday.

Mrs. Aaron Buchheim and children visited relatives in Santa Ana Tuesday.

John S. Malcolm, principal of the high school, attended institute in Los Angeles Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crumrine, Mrs. Susan Brubaker, Charles and Harriet Crumrine were Christmas shoppers in Santa Ana Tuesday.

The members of the Christian Endeavor society of the Community Presbyterian church met at the church Wednesday evening and decorated the church and tree.

New Bicycles. Fix-It Shop, 105 East Third.—(Adv.)

## 158 BABES ARE EXPECTED HERE ON CHRISTMAS

By CLEM WHITAKER  
Staff Correspondent Santa Ana Register

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 23.—The Christmas gift supreme, a real live baby, will bring cheer into more than 7000 California homes this holiday season, if the state bureau of vital statistics knows its law of averages.

In 462 California homes, the stark, in fact, will "double" for Santa Claus and arrive either on Christmas Day or on Christmas Eve.

To avoid the rush, the czars of babyland have been busy since the first of the month with their deliveries of little "natives," according to the state bureau, and all December babies will be listed as Yuletide gifts. And the December total, say the statisticians, will approximate 7161.

Orange county, if the state comptometers are forecasting correctly, will have its population boosted by some 153 Yuletide native sons and daughters, as this is the December total for the county fixed by the state.

"Coming out" trousseaus are in preparation for about twelve of this number scheduled to arrive in Santa Ana and way points on Christmas Eve or Christmas Day.

Boys will predominate in the Christmas baby presents, say the experts, the ratio being about 107 native sons to 100 native daughters in the state at large. But the girls will be worth more, at least as an insurance risk, because they live longer.

In Los Angeles county the Christmas infants will comprise a small army, the state forecast calling for a December total in that county of 2644.

## STANTON

STANTON, Dec. 23.—Mrs. M. Riley and the Beaver family attended the Christmas program given at the Magnolia school Friday night. The program was well received. Presents were given the children and teachers.

On account of the holidays the baseball league has cancelled all its dates until January 8.

Mr. Williams and Mr. McKibben were in Los Angeles today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Beavers shopped in Santa Ana and Garden Grove Saturday.

Mrs. D. W. Powell and daughter, Lorraine, and sons, Melvin and Harold, of Los Angeles, spent Tuesday with her parents.

Mrs. Riley and Mrs. Powell motored to Anaheim on business this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Beaves and family took dinner Sunday with her sister, Mrs. H. Rogers, in Garden Grove.

Mr. L. Bowers, of Los Angeles, is putting in the foundation for a five room house on Stanton avenue. H. A. Riley is doing the cement and brick work.

Mrs. Steward and son, Bobbie, have gone east for the holidays.

Cigars—Pickwick's for him.—Adv.



## Lesson No. 1

Question: Why should my cod-liver oil be emulsified?

Answer: Because I can absorb it more readily, like the emulsified fat in milk. What's more, it tastes pleasant when I take it in the form of

SCOTT'S EMULSION

## Astronomers Wait For Moon Eclipse

LONDON, Dec. 23.—Hoping to throw more light on the mysteries of the moon, English astronomers have prepared powerful telescopes to view the lunar eclipse today.

A group of eminent scientists from many parts of England will gather at the Greenwich observatory to witness the phenomenon which is scheduled to commence at 3:49 p. m., today, just as the moon is rising and the sun is simultaneously setting. Three or four minutes later, the moon will enter the Umbra, or shadow thrown by the earth. It will first be observed slightly below the middle of the left-hand side of the moon.

Other observatories throughout the British Isles have prepared for the event. According to the astronomical authorities in London, the eclipse today will be visible in practically all parts of the eastern hemisphere and in the northern part of North America.

A member of the Royal observatory, in an interview with the United Press this morning regarding the eclipse said as follows: "Today's eclipse should be visible at Greenwich a few minutes

after the sun has set. The most interesting feature of the eclipse to most people probably will be the changing in colors which will be observed. As a rule the moon is almost invisible to the naked eye at the beginning of the eclipse but as it continues, the moon, instead of being totally dark, exhibits different colors. In some places it is bluish or greenish although generally speaking it is of a variable copper shade.

"The most interesting lunar eclipse in history occurred in the evening of October 4, 1884, when the moon seemed to have disappeared almost completely. Such a dark eclipse has not been seen since although it may occur again sometime in the future."

Newcom's Seed Grows.—Adv.

Zenith Radio at Gerwing's.—Adv.

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# Tomorrow—the Final Day Before Christmas Will Find Many Interesting Gift Values

Special Attention to Men In All Departments

## Silk Negligees—1/4 Less!

Only a limited number of the better Silk Negligees will be offered at this opportune reduction before Christmas. Rainbow sleeves and Maribou trimmed garments are included in this special price offering. Buy Negligees of a high quality tomorrow and save the difference.

Van Antwerp's—Second Floor

## Men and women have found wonderful Silk Underwear

at this store. They have been happy with their purchases for Van Antwerp's have endeavored to give quality at a moderate price. Come tomorrow and make your selections. It is not too late at this store for arrangements have been made to have many garments for the final day of selling before Christmas. Lovely silk underwear is appreciated by all women.

Van Antwerp's—First and Second Floors

## Come to the Children's Section Tomorrow

What could be more appropriate than lovely apparel for infants and children. Coats, Dresses, Novelties, Sweaters, Hats, etc. Every article reasonably priced.

Van Antwerp's, Children's Section—Second Floor

## Bridge Score Pads 85c

Another shipment has arrived for tomorrow's selling. Ivory Pyralin covers, decorated. Boxed.

## Bouttons Perfumes 49c - 95c

Imported Perfumes are shown at these two low prices. Neatly boxed. Novelty bottles. Priced very low.

## Give Silks This Season \$1.95 to \$4.75 yard

Get a dress length of the many materials we have to offer. Quality fabrics are always appreciated for they never have too many dresses and appreciate a new one at this time of the year.

Van Antwerp's, Silk Section—First Floor

## Long Sleeved Filipino Gowns \$3.25

Lovely long sleeve garments are these. The fine embroidery is noticeable. Neatly trimmed. Made of fine batiste fabrics. A special value at \$3.25.

Other special values in Filipino Gowns at \$1.29 to \$2.95.

Van Antwerp's—Second Floor

## Hand Embroidered Smocks \$1.95

A complete selection. Pastel shades. All sizes. With your other practical gifts, give a smock. It will be appreciated. Featured at Van Antwerp's at the very low price of \$1.95.

Van Antwerp's—Second Floor

## A Practical Gift

## Silk Hosiery

Buy Them By The Box and Save

\$1.75 Hose \$4.95 box

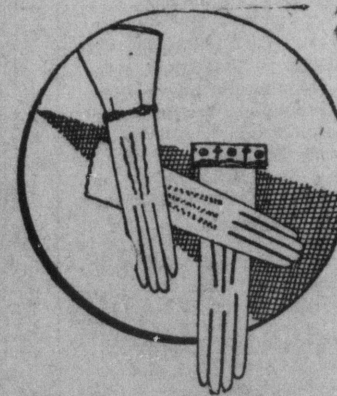
\$1.95 Hose \$5.50 box

No better hose are to be had anywhere than those featured at Van Antwerp's. The tremendous response by all women to the many nationally known lines has created for us a real department where dependable hose can be purchased at very reasonable prices quality considered.

## A Practical Gift Gloves

\$2.95 to \$5

Complete assortments in imported gloves are shown at this store. Tre-fousse gloves are featured. None better. The prices are low. Select gloves tomorrow. Gift containers for all packages if desired.



## Buy Your Tricycle Here Tomorrow

1/4 off! 1/4 off!



We want to close out our entire line of Tricycles Tomorrow. There is a splendid assortment from which to select. Every Tricycle has been reduced ONE-QUARTER. Come in early.

S. Hill & Son

215 East Fourth Street

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# 1000-BARREL WELL FLOWING IN BEACH CITY

HUNTINGTON BEACH, Dec. 23.—The development of a 1000-barrel well at Fifteenth street and Walnut avenue yesterday by the World Petroleum company is regarded as the most important event in the local oil field this week. The well was placed on production from the 400-foot level, according to reports, and is flowing.

The new well is the World No. 7 and is on the M and B lease. It is situated in an area where production has been from a shallow oil sand and is the only well for a distance of several blocks to go to that depth. Other wells have been content to stop at the 2100-foot level and have been averaging around 200 barrels per day on the pump.

The remarkable success of the World well may result in considerable drilling activity in the section.

The Richfield Oil company yesterday was issued a permit by the city building department to remove an oil derrick on Seventeenth street between Walnut and Olive avenues. The company has several wells in the district and evidently the rig was over a well which was not producing satisfactorily.

# ORANGE DE MOLAYS PLAN SNOW PARTY

ORANGE, Dec. 23.—Thirty members of the Orange Grove chapter of the Order of DeMolay will leave Tuesday night for Big Bear, where they will enjoy a house party in the snow. Plans for skating and all sort of winter sports are being made. The committee in charge of the outing is composed of Wayne Blackburn, Carl Kinney and Don Gullage. Fred Jefferies is head of the local chapter.

# Missionary Body Elects Officers

TALBERT, Dec. 23.—New officers for the coming year were elected by the Women's Home Missionary society of the Talbert and Greenville churches, at their meeting this week at the Greenville church.

Reports for the year's work were made showing that \$98.61 had gone out from the local society for charitable purposes. The election of officers will result in the following women taking up duties of the society after the second Sunday in January, at which time they will be installed at the morning service at Greenville: President, Mrs. Mayme Woodson; vice president, Mrs. John Shiffer; secretary, Mrs. Noy Clayton; treasurer, Mrs. Annie Kuffer; superintendent of mission study, Mrs. Anna Helm, who is also publicity superintendent; superintendent of social service, Mrs. Pearl Planhen; Missionary Voice agent, Mrs. Alph Cole; superintendent of local work, Mrs. John Shiffer; prayer and jubilee, Mrs. White; superintendent of supplies, Mrs. Mayme Woodson.

Meetings for the coming year will include the missionary study, which will be held the first Thursday of each month in the homes of the members and the business meetings the third Thursday of each month at the Greenville church.

# Seal Beach Man Faces Rum Charge

HUNTINGTON BEACH, Dec. 23.—W. R. Hobson, 46, of 513 1-2 Ocean avenue, Seal Beach, pleaded guilty to charges of intoxication and possession of liquor here yesterday. Hobson was brought before Judge Chris Pann after being arrested in the downtown district.

# Coming Events

**TONIGHT**  
Charity dance, Craig's hall, Brea, p. m.  
La Habra M. E. Sunday school party, Methodist church, 7:30 p. m.  
Costa Mesa Sunday school program, Community church, 7:30 p. m.  
Garden Grove Baptist church Christmas program, 7:30 p. m.  
Laguna Beach community celebration, Cabrillo ball room, 7:30 p. m.  
Huntington Beach Christmas festivities, city park, 7:30 p. m.  
Anaheim Christmas celebration, city park, 7:30 p. m.  
Los Alamitos Christmas party, church, 7:30 p. m.  
Cypress Co-operative club, Holly field, 8:30 p. m.  
First Christian church, Orange, gives Christmas party, 7:30 p. m.

**SATURDAY**  
Orange Elks' Christmas party for children, I. O. O. F. hall, 2:30 p. m.

# Yorba Linda Land to Be Quitclaimed

YORBA LINDA, Dec. 23.—One thousand acres in the Yorba Linda district will be quitclaimed by the Pan-American Petroleum company as a result of its failure to secure oil in its Kraemer wildcat, it was reported today.

The Pan-American went to \$576 feet without encountering favorable showings. The project was started last summer. The well has been watched with a great deal of interest by oil operators and land owners.

# LARGE ORANGE CACTUS PLANT TO BLOOM SOON

ORANGE, Dec. 23.—What is probably one of the largest cactus plants in Orange county is getting ready for its annual output of blossoms. The tree, which is said to be an Arizona tree cactus, is in a garden at the home of Mrs. T. E. Lee, 205 Palmyra street.

Planted over 35 years ago, it has grown to a height of six feet and is about 15 feet in width. The tree had attained a greater growth before, but owing to a peculiar accident was nearly broken off to the ground 15 years ago at Christmas time. E. T. Lee, who died four years ago, was enjoying an evening visit with T. C. Pixley and William H. Burnham, both of Orange. They tied their horses to the hitching post near the great cactus. Mr. Burnham's horse, becoming restive, tore out the post and plunged into the cactus, leaving away so many spines that it took months to remove them from the animal's flesh.

Mrs. Lee also has a rare cactus with a pale lavender bloom that blossoms and dies in a day. She has two large yuccas that have carried as many as 12 spires of blossoms at a time.

Although she is very fond of her cactus garden, the plants are now only dimly outlined to their owner who tended them so carefully for many years. During the World War Mrs. Lee was one of the most diligent knitters in her district and completed the knitting of 72 pairs of stockings in a record breaking length of time. Her eyes were failing and the strain of constant knitting rendered her partially blind, a condition from which she has never recovered.

# Orange To Give Program Tonight

ORANGE, Dec. 23.—A Christmas program is to be presented at the First Christian church tonight. The event is in the way of an informal prelude to the program being prepared for Sunday evening, the program at that time to take the place of the regular Sunday evening service. Tonight, jollity will reign, Old Santa will put in an appearance and bring "treats" with him. The affair is under the auspices of the Sunday school, with the Sunday school superintendent, J. Dayton Ditchey, in charge. Mrs. Walter Kolger has arranged the program.

# Senator Curtis Sends Greetings

HUNTINGTON BEACH, Dec. 23.—Greetings to friends in Southern California were extended today through Mrs. E. B. Stevens, of this city, from Senator Curtis, Kansas, a presidential candidate.

Mrs. Stevens, an old time friend of Curtis received a letter from the presidential candidate yesterday extending Christmas greetings to the Stevens family and thanking her for her support in his coming campaign.

# HANSEN

HANSEN, Dec. 23.—Carlos Foster fractured his right arm recently while cranking his automobile.

Mrs. R. L. Wilkinson has returned from the Community hospital in Anaheim, bringing little Flora May with her. She is with her sister, Mrs. G. E. Kitchen.

Chicken pox broke out in the school here just before the holiday vacation. Among those having it are Ellen Jane Peters, Mary Ellen and Billie Burch and Heinz Trapp.

Mary Dochy spent the weekend with a friend, Mrs. Harlan Bunker, in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Jay Miser entertained Sunday evening several guests in observance of the birthday of her mother, Mrs. Nellie Benson.

Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Kueser and Mr. and Mrs. Luther, of Los Angeles were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Burch.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Clark made a shopping trip to Los Angeles recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Huddleston, of Buena Park, spent Sunday afternoon with the Bensons.

Charles J. Borland, who works for the Santa Fe at San Diego, was home a few days this week.

# HIGH GRAVITY WELL FLOWING IN YORBA LINDA

ATWOOD, Dec. 23.—One new producer was brought in this week, when the Superior Oil company completed Etchandy No. 2, at a depth of 4635 feet. While not quite as good as the other wells on the flats west of Van Buren street, its production of 225 barrels of 20 degree gravity oil is all that could be expected.

On the other side of Van Buren street, the Continental has Pyne No. 6 down 4550 feet in the oil sand and the well should be on production by next week.

California Petroleum is taking a water test on Bradford No. 7, which was put on production recently. Heartwell No. 3 is drilling in hard sand and shale at 4206 feet.

The Union Oil company's wells are going ahead slowly. Stern No. 12 has made 350 feet in the week or more it has been drilling.

Chapman No. 26 is in oil sand at 4523 feet and Morse No. 6 is in brown shale and oil sand at 4055 feet. Stern No. 5 has been delayed by a fishing job but is drilling ahead again at 1732 feet.

At Yorba Linda the Nugent company was treated to a surprise by Damon No. 1. The well was killed off to run a liner, when it started to flow through the casing and is making 50 barrels of 80-degree gravity oil.

# BUENA PARK HOLDS CHRISTMAS PARTY

BUENA PARK, Dec. 23.—The annual community Christmas celebration was held Wednesday night in the school auditorium, with hundreds present. Eight hundred boxes of candy were distributed. The following program was rendered: School orchestra, invocation, the Rev. B. Y. Neal; school glee club, instrumental number, Lester Schofield; reading, Edith Page; solo, Mrs. Garrison Costar; play, eighth grade; instrumental, Edna and Margaret Gardner.

# Rites Held For Orange Resident

ORANGE, Dec. 23.—Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at the Coffey Funeral parlors for Mrs. Sarah Sweezy, 70, who died at her home 444 South Center street, Saturday night. Mrs. Sweezy had been a resident of Orange for the past 25 years. Since the death of her husband four years ago, she and her sister, Miss Bertha Peek, have lived at the Sweezy home.

Mrs. Sweezy was a senior deaconess in the First Baptist church of Orange and was a prominent member of the Woman's Relief corps. One son survives her, Frank, who is a laborer.

Bickford claimed he was a laborer. Mrs. Nellie G. McArthur, of Long Beach, was fined \$5 on a speeding charge when she appeared before Pann.

# L. B. MAN FINED

HUNTINGTON BEACH, Dec. 23.—James Bickford, of Long Beach, was sentenced to spend 60 days in the Orange county jail when he appeared before Judge Chris Pann yesterday on a charge of vagrancy.

# H. M. HEPBURN MADE H. B. NOBLE GRAND

HUNTINGTON BEACH, Dec. 23.—H. M. Hepburn was elected noble grand of the Odd Fellows lodge at the annual meeting of the lodge, it was announced here today. Hepburn succeeds D. E. Burry.

Other officers of the lodge elected were John McCush, vice grand; C. M. Wardman, recording secretary; A. G. Everett, financial secretary; Clinton Creamer, treasurer.

Appointive officers of the lodge will be named early in January, it was announced today. Installation ceremonies will be held early next month at a date to be set later. A district deputy will be in charge of the installation.

# FEDERAL AID FOR NEWPORT HARBOR COMMITTEE'S AIM; KELP BED HELD NUISANCE

NEWPORT BEACH, Dec. 23.—An appeal for federal aid for Newport harbor and immediate steps to improve the entrance to Newport harbor are two things to be sought by the citizens harbor committee of Newport Beach, it was announced today.

Congressman Phil Swing will be asked to lend his influence in securing federal assistance for the harbor project, according to a report yesterday by the federal aid sub-committee of the harbor group. The city council of Newport Beach will be asked to remove a kelp bed just off the west jetty, according to a report by the dredging committee. The kelp is proving a nuisance, it is declared.

The needs at the harbor entrance are to receive the full attention of the harbor committee at once, according to Joseph Beek, chairman of the committee. Beek declares that by concentrating on one thing at a time the committee will be able to do better work.

Three separate sub-committees reported yesterday. The committee on dredging reported on the kelp matter. A committee on bonding reported that further bonding of the harbor would have to be investigated from a legal standpoint.

A movement to secure federal aid for the harbor through Swing, was started at the meeting. The federal aid committee, composed of Lew H. Wallace, Dr. Conrad Richter and Ernest Grill, will open negotiations with Swing at once to have the congressman use his influence in securing assistance for the harbor.

J. P. Greeley, J. B. McNally and W. L. Jordan are members of the sub-committee on dredging and S. H. Lucas, Ben Cope and Frank Smith compose the bonding committee.

Among those present at the meeting yesterday were J. A. Beek, Dr. Conrad Richter, Frank Smith, Lew H. Wallace, Harry Welch, Ben Cope, Herman Hilmer, J. B. McNally and J. P. Greeley. The meeting was held at Beek's office on Balboa island. The next meeting of the harbor committee is scheduled for January 6 at Beek's office.

# Few Colds This Year In Orange

ORANGE, Dec. 23.—There are fewer severe colds and fewer cases of the minor contagious diseases in the city of Orange and vicinity this winter than last year, says Miss Isabel Durgan, nurse in charge of the health department at the city hall. According to Miss Durgan, health conditions here may be viewed in a most optimistic manner. At the city hall health center, anti-toxin treatments are given every Tuesday morning from 10 to 11 o'clock by the county health department and all mothers living in Orange or vicinity may bring their children at this time for preventative treatments.

# 15 NOMINATED FOR CHAMBER IN FULLERTON

FULLERTON, Dec. 23.—Results of the nominating primary for the elections of five directors for the chamber were reported yesterday by the nominating committee through Robert Strain, chairman. Fifteen names were submitted to individuals who had received the highest number of votes on the recent ballot containing the entire list of membership of the chamber.

The names which will appear on the final ballot are as follows: Jack Horner, A. W. Clearer, W. J. Carmichael, Fred Schlenker, Felix Stein, Howard Irwin, R. H. Biggs, F. R. Carroll, Ted Corcoran, L. O. Culp, Jess D. Hardy, R. T. Davies, J. A. Prizer, R. S. Gregory and Gorman Hoppe.

The final vote for the election of the five directors will be made January 3, with the polls open at the Chamber of Commerce headquarters from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

The directors approved the action of the city council in making the deal for the purchase of the additional land adjoining the air field for the purpose of making the airport a class "A" field.

Plans are being made to give the football teams of the Fullerton union high school special recognition for their exceptional success during the season.

A committee headed by Robert Strain was appointed to determine the best means of honoring the teams. The committee will report back at the next meeting, December 29. The committee will also determine means of giving special recognition to the outstanding players of each team and also to the coaches.

# Chicksan to Drill Yorba Linda Land

YORBA LINDA, Dec. 23.—The Chicksan Oil company is preparing to drill an oil well in semi-proven territory in this district, it was reported today. The company owns considerable acreage in this district.

The Chicksan will go to 5000 feet if necessary to secure good production, it is understood. The Chicksan is one of the pioneer operators in the east Orange county section.

# FAIL TO START OIL PROJECT IN TALBERT AREA

TALBERT, Dec. 23.—With the return of the deed to land owned by Emil Lecrivain, coupled with the fact that lease rents on several properties are long overdue, residents of the Talbert district are convinced that the long expected oil test will not materialize.

The Richfield company, which had a large tract under lease, erected a derrick but failed to start drilling operations.

The leases were taken following reports that the wildcat well at Five Points had uncovered favorable showings. The Five Points well, which was being drilled by E. J. Miley, has been turned back to the original drilling company, the Calnan Oil company. The well has not been abandoned as yet and residents hope that the Calnan will complete the drilling job.

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# MOTOR OF LARGE MONOPLANE TESTED

MIDWAY CITY, Dec. 23.—The pilots and mechanics at the Zenith Aircraft corporation plant took the big monoplane from its hangar yesterday and tried out one of the three motors, giving it a thorough test. The motor worked perfectly. All of the motors will be tested thoroughly before the trial flight is made.

Buy her an Easy Washer for Xmas. Phone 1900.—(Adv.)

# PROGRAM WILL BE PRESENTED IN SEAL BEACH

SEAL BEACH, Dec. 23.—The children's program given this evening at the Methodist church will open the Yuletide programs at the churches. A juvenile cantata, "Entertaining Santa," will be presented and a musical program includes a violin solo, John Pippey; cornet solo, Alline Armstrong; piano solos by Dorothy Harding and Cleora Thomas. Santa will distribute gifts to the children.

Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock the entire Sunday school will assemble in the auditorium for a service, the theme of which will be "The First Christmas Tree."

The evening service will be directed by Mrs. Sutherland. A cantata "In Adoration," will be given. The soloists are Mrs. Sutherland, Mrs. Ward and Mrs. M. C. Collins. Solemn high mass will be celebrated at midnight Christmas eve at St. Ann's Catholic church by the Rev. C. N. Raley.

# THE FAMILY ALBUM—A CHRISTMAS SNEEZE - - By GLUYAS WILLIAMS

FEELS SNEEZE COMING ON. REACHES FOR HANDKERCHIEF AND FINDS HE HASN'T GOT ONE

PRESSES FINGER TO UPPER LIP TO WARD OFF SNEEZE, AND DASHES UPSTAIRS

STARTS TO OPEN HANDKERCHIEF DRAWER. HEARS SHRIEK FROM WIFE. NOT TO OPEN THAT, SHE'S PUT CHRISTMAS THINGS IN IT

FINDS SHE MOVED HIS BELONGINGS TO TOP LEFT HAND DRAWER OF WILFRED'S BUREAU

CALLS HAND IT ALL. WILFRED'S GONE AND LOCKED THAT DRAWER

FINDS WILFRED MOVED HIS THINGS INTO GUEST ROOM BECAUSE HE NEEDED THAT DRAWER FOR CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

BURSTS INTO GUEST ROOM WHERE WILFRED IS WRAPPING PRESENTS. IS RUSHED OUT. EXPLAINS WHAT HE WANTS THROUGH DOOR

MILDRED HANDS HIM HANDKERCHIEF. HAS FORGOTTEN ALL ABOUT WANTING TO SNEEZE

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# BOYTOWN

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## Gifts Tra la!

Where else but Boytown for the real gifts, I ask you? That's what Boytown is for, just about now! Every fellow would open his eyes big if he could peek in here today!

Blue or white oxford shirts! Hot! Long point collars; regular shirts, we said. At \$2.50. Kaynee blouses at \$1 and \$1.50. The junior shirts in white and colors at \$1 and \$1.25. Everything in new shirts, 12 to 14 1/2 collars; class all the way.

Lounging robes, button front, silk cords, roll collar, full length; 6 to 16 years. \$5.00.

Golf knickers, new patterns; 5 to 16 years; at \$2.95 to \$6.

Golf hose in patterns to match, 50c and 75c.

Rayon mufflers for all fellows at \$1.00.

Airplane and ship patterns in new sweaters for 3 to 7-year-olds; sort of lumberjack style; made to fit just right. \$4.50.

Pull-overs for fellows 8 to 16 years; just like high school styles; at \$5.00.

Yo, sailor, middy pajamas; some very fancy ones for 14 to 18-year-olds.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Siefert of North Santiago street were hosts Wednesday evening, at a Christmas party at which their guests were all members of the family, children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

The merry games planned for the evening, were interrupted in delightful fashion when a great "Christmas pie," fashioned from cardboard covered with red crepe paper, was placed in the center of the pie came colored ribbons, which when pulled, yielded a gift for each one present. Popcorn, nuts, candy and apples, added to the Christmas cheer.

Mr. and Mrs. Siefert's children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren present were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Best, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Siefert and sons Billy and James, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Frolinger of San Bernardino, and children, Malcolm, Jo-Anna and Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Siefert and little daughter Betty Jo, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Rash and sons, Howard and Max, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Taylor and small son Donald, Mr. and Mrs. William Rash and sons Duane and Jean and the Misses Murrell and Marie Rash, and Walter Siefert.

It was regretted that Mr. and Mrs. Lee Thompson and two small daughters of Visalia, were unable to be present. Mrs. Thompson is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Siefert, and the presence of her and her family, would have completed the family circle.

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## ENJOYABLE SOCIAL FEATURES TO GLADDEN BETROTHAL DAYS

As December wanes, and the early January wedding date of Miss Helen Smiley and John Lutz, draws near, the charming brunette bride-elect finds herself the honoree at a succession of social affairs, planned with her betrothal and wedding in mind. Christmas gifts and shower gifts all seem to sound the same happy note, "She's to be married, she's to be married," and the usual joys of the season, are being doubled for the popular bride-to-be.

### CO-HOSTESSES ENTERTAIN

Mrs. Carson Smith (Dorothy Carothers) and Miss Elaine Wharton were the most recent hostesses complimenting Miss Smiley, and entertained Wednesday at an evening bridge at the attractive home of Mrs. Smith at 1115 West Washington avenue.

Pastel tinted flowers as a background for the bridge tables, varied the theme of Christmas usually employed at this season. At the late supper hour following bridge, the same lovely tints were employed, each table being decked in some one of the chosen colors, yellow, orchid, rose, blue or orange. Each was centered with a pretty doll, while petalled cups held wee candies which furthered the decorative scheme.

The table where Miss Smiley was seated, was designed as a bride's table in compliment to her. Its doll centerpiece wore the flowing white gown and veil of a bride, and all the appointments were snowy white. Salad with toasted sandwiches and coffee, formed the first course, followed by almond Bavarian cream and sweets.

Mrs. Smith and Miss Wharton had chosen attractive prizes, a dainty powder dish, a silken "handy" and a paper knife, which were secured by Miss Margaret Carothers, scoring high. Miss Dora McWaters, second, and Miss Elizabeth Millen low.

Miss Smiley was shown a graceful Christmas tree, blooming with fascinating packages, which she discovered were all for her. They contained the daintiest of gifts, selected for her by the assembled guests.

Asked to enjoy the happy evening with Miss Wharton, Mrs. Smith and their honoree, Miss Smiley, were the Misses Virginia Slabaugh, Rebecca Budrow, Vena Belle Bryant, Elizabeth Millen, Lizzetta Phillips, Josephine Cruickshank, Constance Cruickshank, Helen Menges, Adelaide Spencer, Helen Bowers, Grace Smiley, Margaret Carothers, Florence Lutz, Dora McWaters, Mrs. R. E. McBurney, Mrs. Verlin Anderson, Mrs. Phillip Lutz, all of this city; Mrs. Stewart Smith, Fullerton; Mrs. Donald Smiley, El Modena; Mrs. Andrew Smiley, Anaheim; Miss Betty Townsend, Miss Ruth Dyer, Long Beach; Mrs. Lyle Sherwin, Maywood; the Misses Gladys Lowrey, Helen Lowrey, June McMillan and Mable McMillan, Los Angeles.

## You And Your Friends

Dr. Roy Horton and Arthur Munselle of Santa Ana and O. W. Munselle and Charles Munselle of Pomona left today for a two weeks' trip to New Mexico. They will explore the district north of Albuquerque. While in New Mexico, Dr. Horton will secure articles for his new office on West Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Adams of 1424 Cypress avenue spent yesterday in Los Angeles.

Dr. J. P. Boya and Miss Rosa Boyd of 801 North Main street plan to spend Christmas in Los Angeles at the home of Miss Orabel Chilton and Miss Jean Humphrey.

Mrs. Mary P. Matthews of 1605 East Fourth street spent today in Los Angeles on business.

Miss Helen McPeak, secretary of the Santa Ana Girl Reserves and vice president of the Southern California Girl Reserve secretaries, was in Hollywood yesterday where she attended a board meeting of the association.

Miss Lorene Porter who is a junior at the Oregon State college, arrived last night to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. F. T. Porter of 640 North Van Ness street.

Mr. and Mrs. David Meyer and son, Donald Meyer, 2434 Hellotrope Drive, were dinner guests recently of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde C. Huffman and the latter's mother, Mrs. Bertha P. May, in their home, "Casa del Cielo," 4610 Mont Eagle Place, Los Angeles. Mrs. Huffman was formerly Miss Margaret May of this city.

## Coming Events

**TONIGHT**  
Alliance chapel's annual Christmas program; in the chapel, Bishop and Cypress streets; 7 o'clock.  
First Baptist Christmas drama, "The Way," church auditorium; 7:30 o'clock.  
First M. E. Christmas pageant, "When the Star Shone," church auditorium; 7:30 o'clock.  
United Presbyterian Christmas entertainment; church auditorium; 7:30 o'clock.  
United Brethren Christmas program; church auditorium; 7:30 o'clock.  
First Congregational Christmas pageant; church auditorium; 7:30 o'clock.  
**SATURDAY**  
Beginners' and Primary departments' Christmas party; First Congregational church bungalow; 2 p. m.  
New Bicycles. Fix-It Shop, 105 East Third.—(Adv.)  
"Buy Newcom's Big N Mash"—(Adv.)  
Zenith Radio at Gerwing's.—Adv.

## THREE BRIDES ARE HONORED

Romance prevailed at an enjoyable bridge luncheon given recently in Long Beach by Miss Ruth Dyer, who complimented three of her sorority sisters in Alpha Chi Omega. Miss Helen Smiley of this city, Miss June McMillan and Miss Gladys Lowrey of Los Angeles, all of whom will be married within the month.

After an enjoyable luncheon, at which places of honor were accorded the three lovely mid-winter brides, the guests sought places around the small tables arranged for bridge. Miss Grace Smiley of this city, sister of one of the honorees, was one of the victors in the ensuing card contest, winning the desirable first prize.

To each of her three honorees, Miss Dyer presented a dainty boudoir pillow.  
Santa Ana guests at the function in addition to Miss Smiley, honoree, were Miss Grace Smiley, Miss Elaine Wharton, Miss Josephine Cruickshank, Miss Helen Menges and Mrs. Carson Smith.

The wedding of Miss Smiley and Mr. Lutz will be an event of Wednesday, January 4.

## The WOMAN'S DAY

By ALLENE SUMNER

Because the town folks gossip and made so-called malicious remarks at the companionate marriage which he arranged for his young daughter, Haldeman-Julius announces that he will move his big printing firm away from Girard, Kansas. The town is stunned. More than a fourth of the inmates are employed by H.-J. But he'll show them! Maybe it's harsh, but regardless of what I don't think of H.-J., it does give me a mean thrill to see small town gossip penalized once in a while. Still—how about it? Is it small town stuff or just human nature? City slickers gossip just as much, I guess, only we don't hear what's said about us quite so readily. By the way, that hyphenated name is thus explained. Mrs. Haldeman-Julius's name was Haldeman. His was Julius. They combined the two. Why isn't this a good solution for the Lucy Stoners?

### WANTED NICE NOSE

An Italian countess with a funny nose, long and crooked and beakish, recently appeared in the clinic of a famous Parisian plastic surgeon, and asked to have her nose remodeled into a thing of beauty. "It's not fit for myself, she explained. "But I am expecting an heir to my husband's ancient line and want him to inherit a perfect classical nose." The surgeon's explanation that such acquired characteristics were not inherited made no difference. The countess now optimistically awaits her perfect-proboscised offspring.

One can smile at such ignorance, true. But this maternal instinct which will suffer broken bones for an unborn child is worth more than a titter. We have rarely heard of similar male folly actuated by the paternal instinct.

### GREEN SHEETS

And did you know that colored bed linen is the very latest? Sheets and pillow slips to match your personality, such as pastel shades of lilac and cream for an ingenue, jade green sheets to harmonize with the hair and skin of some Italian beauty, even black for dignity and old age.

Can you think of anything white left, anything which has escaped the color curse? Old-fashioned, indeed, is the woman who still clings to white underwear and stationery. They are making our very post and skillets all the colors of the rainbow and now we sleep between pink and yellow and blue and purple sheets. Only thing left is to color the drinking water to "harmonize with personalities."

### ONE FOR US

Did you know that woman's expectation of life is always two years more than that of a man's of the same age? Thus, if you're 32, you have about 35 average more years to live if you're a man; 37, if you're a woman. Various explanations are given. "The protection of woman" is explored by the discovery that in those very countries where women work in the fields and do all forms of physical labor, while the men do the easy work, the same fact remains. One theory is that women take care of their health more than men. I rather doubt it. The average man fusses about his headache and takes more dope for it than the average woman does when she knows she's dying.

## Holiday Weddings Are Important Events Of Season

Announcements were out today of the wedding of Miss Bernice Hayward and William Ayer, and a host of friends will be interested in details concerning their wedding, which took place Wednesday evening, December 21, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hayward, 806 Cypress avenue.

The bride was lovely in orchid georgette crepe with silver trimming and carried a bouquet of orchid sweet peas and yellow roses. She was attended by Miss Grace Gottle, who wore blue georgette. Claude Hayward, brother of the bride, assisted Mr. Ayer as best man.

The Rev. Perry Schrock, pastor of the First Congregational church, officiated. Miss Hazel Kinsel at the piano, and Edwin Toole, violin, played wedding music. Following the wedding a dinner was served to the friends and relatives present for the ceremony.

Miss Hayward has lived in Santa Ana nearly all her life, is a graduate of Santa Ana high school and junior college and also of the University of California. She has taught school for the past two years.

Mr. Ayer is the son of Mrs. J. T. Clark of Winona, Miss. He is chief engineer for the Ole Hanson corporation at San Clemente and has a cosy apartment there awaiting his bride, upon return from their brief honeymoon.

Guests at the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. Holtes Toole and Edward Toole of Orange; Mrs. Percy Gottle, the Misses Grace Gottle, Evangeline Bryant and Hazel Kinsel, Mr. and Mrs. Carey Haynes, the Misses Helen, Dorothy and Margaret Haynes, Claude Hayward, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hayward and the Rev. and Mrs. Perry Schrock.

### Moon-Peugh

Honeymooning in the north following their quiet wedding of Sunday, December 17, are Dudley Peugh and his bride, formerly Miss Leona Moon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moon of 823 North Birch street.

The wedding of the young people was a pretty home ceremony, staged in the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Craig of North Durant street, last Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, with a little group of relatives and very close friends as guests.

The girlish bride chose a frock of pale pink georgette which harmonized with the pink and white flowers used in decorating the home. She was attended by Miss Leota Ewing, wearing a pretty maid of honor costume of soft green georgette. Hugh Nipp of Anaheim, assisted Mr. Peugh as best man. The marriage service was read by the Rev. George Warner, pastor of the First M. E. church.

Wedding refreshments were served before the young people left on their northern honeymoon. They will make their home in Artesia where Mr. Peugh is in business with his father, L. L. Peugh.

Guests at the wedding included the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Craig, the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moon, and her grand-mother and aunt, Mrs. S. C. Craig and Miss Cora Craig, Mr. Peugh's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Peugh of Artesia, his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Peugh of Encinitas, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Green of Long Beach; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stanfield, Whittier; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Snodgrass, Anaheim; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Moon, Miss Alice McChesney, Miss Leota Ewing, Miss Mary Lou Oldridge of Pomona, Messrs Hugh Nipp of Anaheim, Homer Craig, Joe Lawson and Ralph and Lester Moon.

## MENUS for the Family

By SISTER MARY

**BREAKFAST**—Stewed dried apricots, cooked whole wheat cereal, cream, eggs and spinach on toast, extra toast, milk, coffee.  
**LUNCHEON**—Scalloped onions and macaroni, stewed tomatoes, stewed stuffed figs with whipped cream, plain cooking milk, tea.  
**DINNER**—Noodle soup, pan broiled pork chops, sweet potatoes baked with marshmallows, corn custard, stuffed apple salad, raisin pie, milk, coffee.

**Corn Custard**  
One can corn, 3 eggs, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 tablespoon sugar, 1-4 teaspoon white pepper, 2 tablespoons butter, 2 cups milk.  
Beat eggs slightly and add remaining ingredients. Turn into a well buttered baking dish and bake about forty minutes in moderate oven. When firm to the touch the custard is done. Serve from baking dish.  
Whenever canned corn is served it should be carefully looked over. There are often bits of corn husks and cob found in canned corn that are not particularly appetizing. (Copyright, 1927, NEA Service, Inc.)

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## THE TINYMITES

STORY BY HAL COCHRAN—PICTURES BY KNICK



(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE.)

The animals of cloth looked great. "I'll bet that kids can hardly wait to get these things on Christmas morn," said Scouty, with a smile. "There's nothing we can do. In other words, this work is through. Let's all sit down and have some fun. We'll play here for a while."

They made the queer toys hop around, or sit up straight upon the ground. "Course Clowny kept on playing with the monkey on the string. Then Santa Claus walked in the door. My, how he made his deep voice roar! "Come on," said he, "at other work you now shall have a fling."

"The next place that we're going to stop is right down in the music shop. And there we'll find tin whistles that you all can quickly play. I'll show you drums that you can beat. That ought to be a thrilling treat. These things must all be wrapped up nice. Let's do that job today."

So, off they went, and soon they

found all sorts of things that make sweet sound. "Oh, look! I've found a saxophone," said Clowny. "Hear me play." He tried to toot the thing, but gee, it was as squeaky as could be. The Tynmites stood it for a while, then took the thing away.

Then Scouty took a small violin, and tucked one end beneath his chin. When he began to fiddle pretty music filled the air. "Well, merry me," said Carpy loud, "the way you play sure makes me proud. I'd like to play that thing myself, but gee, I wouldn't dare."

And then to work the Tynmites turned. It wasn't long until they learned just how to wrap up bundles so they looked real epic and span. Wee Copy cried, "Well, say, we're good. We do all things just as we should. Just look at all these bundles. They're a pretty sight to scan."

(The Tynmites fill Christmas stockings in the next story.)  
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## CHURCH SOCIETIES

### First Presbyterian

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Presbyterian church, held its regular meeting at the church on Wednesday, December 21, with Mrs. Clyde Bach presiding. In keeping with the Christmas spirit old carols were sung and Mrs. Gray used "The Child" as the theme of her devotionals.

Miss Elizabeth Tryon, a returned missionary from Morocco, gave an enlightening talk. The program was given by children, Ralph Pagenkopp played the violin while his brother, Master Welten gave three readings. A piano solo was played by Marian Pietke. Two other readings were given by Esterelle Christian and Clyde Files. A whistling solo was rendered by Eloise Bradley. Upon conclusion of program, Clyde Files as a diminutive Santa Claus, distributed pop corn balls in gay wrappers.

**First Christian**  
The Young Married People's class of the First Christian church was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Snipes, 1045 Fairview avenue, Tuesday night. The Snipes home had been decked for the occasion in lovely reds and greens appropriate at this season of the year.

The program included two readings by Mrs. F. T. Porter and a number of games. A gift exchange also added to the gaiety of the evening, and refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Campbell, Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Leecing, the Rev. and Mrs. F. T. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. William Rash, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Taylor, A. W. Gorrard, Mrs. Merle Bissitt, Mrs. R. C. Byland, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Aldeen, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. George Allison, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Stire, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Lowen, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Williams.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

The annual Christmas party of the children of the Alliance Chapel Sunday school will be held this evening. It will be a "white Christmas" program and will consist of speaking and singing.

St. Peter Lutheran church children will celebrate their annual Christmas party tonight at 7 o'clock.

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## LIFE'S NICETIES Hints On Etiquette

1. If you break a dish, when visiting, what should you do?
2. If one is broken at your house should you object to its replacement?
3. If a servant breaks one, should he be held responsible?

### THE ANSWERS

1. Replace it, if you have to hunt all over town.
2. No.
3. A matter of personal decision.

## "Bridge Me Another"

(Abbreviations: A—ace; K—king; Q—queen; J—jack; X—any card lower than 10.)

1—Holding four cards of a suit, what do you lead against a no-trump?

2—If a four-card suit does include K J 10 X, how many quick tricks must it include for you to bid it?

3—Should you lead a doubleton?

### THE ANSWERS

- 1—Fourth best, except when holding three honors.
- 2—One at least.
- 3—Probabilities are opponents have control of suit.

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| Choice of  |                        |
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# THE WEEKLY PANTRY SHELF

## OIL DERRICK AT BEACH IS MOVED

HUNTINGTON BEACH, Dec. 23.—A permit was issued here yesterday to the Pacific Coast Oil company for the removal of an oil derrick. The rig, towering 120 feet in the air, was moved down the street for a distance of several blocks.

It was located on Twenty-first street between Magnolia and Acacia avenues and will take the place of a rig destroyed by fire some time ago.

## Thief Pretends Boil; Gets \$175

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 23.—Biting the hand that feeds you is mighty poor business, explains J. C. Rice, drug store clerk, but he maintains that robbing the hand that lances a boil is even greater ingratitude.

A stranger entered the store and complained of suffering from a boil. Good hearted Rice took him back of the counter to lance the concentrated lump of pain.

A customer entered and while Rice performed his clerking duties, the patient departed through the rear door, taking \$175 from the cash box with him.

## StudioNews and Gossip.

For some years movie producers have attempted to educate their public. And now that they have just about succeeded, they are beginning to wish they hadn't tried so hard.

Comedy stars particularly are finding the going pretty rough. Any sort of a gag used to get a laugh—but in these days a situation must be really funny or the critical audiences will not even snicker.

Harold Lloyd is a good example of what has happened to our present day screen comedians. Lloyd used to make five and six comedies a year. Now he makes about three pictures in two years.

"I can't turn out good films any faster than that," declares the comedian. "With all the dramatic producers trying to get laughs in to their pictures, our gags must be mighty funny to get by at all. And it is becoming harder and harder to get stories that will lend themselves to comedy adaptation."

**Words Fall Flat**  
"I have found that I can't buy published stories. Few of even the best authors have the slightest conception of comedy production. They deal with words. We must deal with pictures. Many gags sound very funny in words but on the screen they fall absolutely flat."

Lloyd, Charlie Chaplin and Harry Langdon work more or less along the same lines. They con-

ceive their own stories, act in them, gag them, and supervise their direction and cutting. In fact, they are the picture.

"My comedies are only about two-thirds completed when they are pre-viewed for the first time," says Lloyd. "I work after the first preview, touching up the weak spots, cutting sequences that drag and changing titles. To do this I must show the picture before an audience at least four times."

**Loses Sense of Values**  
"The public must judge what stays in a film and what comes out. After I have worked on a picture for about six months and sometimes longer, I have become so close to it that I have lost its true value. I am not a fair judge of what is funny and what won't go over at all. And neither is anyone else in the company. That's why we must have so many previews."

In his early days Lloyd always followed the policy of having his scripts complete before he started shooting. That is the thing that dramatic producers should do—and most of them don't. But it doesn't work out in comedies, as Lloyd has learned. He works "on the cuff" as they say in cinemaland, now. That is, most of his humorous situations are spontaneous.

The comedian has closely followed the policy of never producing a stage play because he feels that the greatest thing in comedy is anticipation and surprise. Both elements are lost in adaptations of

something with which the public is familiar.

After looking at "Sunrise," even the most ardent patriot will be ready to excuse our movie producers for importing foreign directors to make American films. William Fox brought F. W. Murnau from Germany to make "Sunrise." And the director made a great picture out of a simple little story that otherwise would have been a little program production. Much of the film's attraction is due to the so-called trick photography. Weird camera angles give the film a very artistic touch. Murnau gets the credit for that.

**Wins Great Reception**  
Although the film has been running in New York for two or three months, it has just had its first showing in the cinema capital. And it got just as big a reception here as any world stage production. The story is built around three characters, George O'Brien, Janet Gaynor and Margaret Livingston. O'Brien does the best acting of his career. So does Miss Livingston. Janet Gaynor's performance is on a par with what she did in "7th Heaven," although "Sunrise" was made first.

The lion's share of credit for that picture, however, must go to Murnau. He knew what he wanted and he smashed all obstacles that stood in his way. For example, he fought for two weeks to get Margaret Livingston. Studio officials wanted someone else to play the part. Murnau won out—and proved that he was right. No one could have played it better than Margaret did.

## Walking Is Fun, Says Foot Expert

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Walking is not just a matter of steps, taken one after another with some degree of precision, Dr. William M. Scholl of Chicago, eminent foot scientist, knows.

Only one of 50 persons you see in the streets using a method of locomotion that they call "walking" really know how to do it. And there are not enough people even pretending to walk.

That is why Dr. Scholl, fresh from an European tour devoted to the study of walking, today announced plans for a tour of this country to spread the doctrines of "walk and win."

"Just watch the gait of people you see in the streets," advised Dr. Scholl. "What do you see? You find one person throwing a foot to the right, and another to the left. You find some people toeing in. There are others with wobbly ankles. The majority of people do not hold themselves erect. None of them breathe correctly."

"What fun is it for women to walk, anyhow, when they wear high heels?" thundered Dr. Scholl. "They ought to put on low heels every day, and walk and walk and walk."

"I am going to establish walking clubs all over the country, to teach people how to walk and have some fun out of it, especially the women."

## Russia Utilizes Leather Chips

MOSCOW, Dec. 23.—Four million rubles economy on heels are the prospects of the Soviet shoe-making industry, thanks to the invention of a tanning workman, Alexander Shprintz, who discovered a method of utilizing all leather chips and working them over into artificial leather usable for heels, quarters and sole-lining. The Moscow leather trust "Moskvoj" is to build a new factory where this artificial leather will be made.

## Flying Changes Polar Exploring

BERLIN, Dec. 23.—General Nobile, the Italian airship constructor and Arctic eviator, in a lecture on "The Airship in the Service of Arctic Exploration" at the Charlottenburg polytechnic, described how aviation had completely revolutionized polar exploration, pointing out that today it is possible to fly from Spitzbergen in 16 hours to the spot which took Fritjof Nansen in 1893 three days to reach.

Of the two means of aerial locomotion, General Nobile gave preference to the airship, from which, he said, better and more scientific investigations were possible than from an airplane, because it could be brought to a stop in midair at a certain height, be-

sides allowing of a greater radius of action.

From the experiences of his polar flight, May 11 to 14, 1926, the speaker deduced that to prevent the formation of ice on the airship it is necessary to cover all metal parts with a thick layer of grease and, above all, the propeller should be rendered immune against ice formation. The fatal

influence of low temperatures on motors with gas valves is also to be considered. From Spitzbergen, he declared, very many important flights could be undertaken, provided more appropriate bases than now exists are established.

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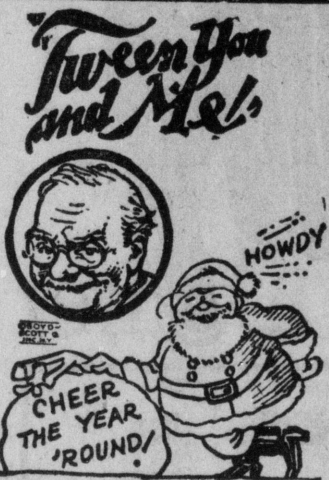
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1/2 Cup fine Sausage Meat—1/2 Tspn. Pepper,  
1 Tbspn. each, parsley, onion; Few grains Nutmeg  
chopped—2 Eggs.  
1/4 Cup Butter.

Soak the bread in cold water until soft; press out  
all the water, add the sausage meat, seasonings, melted  
butter and eggs well beaten. If the sausage meat is  
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PLUM PUDDING 1 lb. Can ... 42c  
2 lb. Can ... 75c

CHEESE, Full Cream, lb. .... 29c

Cranberry Sauce Ocean Spray Can. .... 20c; gal. .... \$1.40

ASPARAGUS TIPS DEL MONTE 30c

RIPE OLIVES Giffords Large, pt. 20c  
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ALBERS FLAPJACK LARGE PACKAGE 25c

FLOUR VELVET KANSAS HARD WHEAT

49 lb. Sack .... \$2.60

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## DEMOCRATS OF STATE TRYING TO AVOID SPLIT

BY HOMER L. ROBERTS

(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
SACRAMENTO, Calif., Dec. 23.—California's Democratic party is trying its best to avert a political row that threatens to split the party wide open before the primaries.

Over what? You've guessed it—Al Smith.

Although William Gibbs McAdoo has definitely retired from the Bourbon political picture, his bone-dry cohorts still persist in bringing up the unpleasantness that resulted from the state convention here last year.

You'll remember, a wet plank was firmly nailed down upon the Democratic state platform at that convention—after a wild session that lasted a whole night long. Although Smith has the larger

proportion of Democratic followers in this state, the fact remains that there are enough on the other side of the fence to raise a pretty fuss at the primaries.

Thus the renewed effort on the part of Democratic leaders to get the reactionaries back onto the band wagon and present a united front.

Two curly-headed youngsters stopped Governor Young's council meeting at its last session.

Amid the grave and solemn deliberations of that body, Bert and Loree Meek, 5 and 4 years old, son and daughter of Bert B. Meek, director of public works, took matters into their own hands.

Impatient at the lengthy report Meek was making about his department, the children burst through the doors of the executive chamber. Bert Jr. ran across and took his father by the hand.

"Daddy, I want you to hurry up," he cried.

The directors rocked with laughter.

"Cutest thing I ever saw," commented the governor.

And the meeting speedily broke up.

Note to California hunters and fishermen: On January 1 all hunting licenses, under the new law, will be \$2 for persons over

18, and \$1 for those under that age. Non-resident citizens and declarant aliens may buy licenses for \$10 each.

Organized labor is divided over the move to oust Walter G. Mathewson, chief of the division of labor statistics, from his job.

One faction, headed by Paul Scharrenberg, secretary of the state federation of labor, called on Governor Young the other day and told him that Mathewson was a political bad boy, and gave aid and comfort to Friend W. Richardson in his campaign against Young.

The other side, led by Frank McDonald of the San Francisco Building Trades council, insists Mathewson should be retained.

This is the story of an automobile that tried to be a fish.

It was driven by J. P. Duncan, of Sacramento, and in the early hours of the morning recently it took a running plunge across the beautiful lawn at the state capitol fountain and pool.

Jumping the sidewalk, the car plowed through a patch of flowers, hurled the rim of the fountain and fetched up head first in the water. Duncan was unhurt, but his filly was wrecked.

Governor Young will not reap-

point Louis Almgren, San Diego member of the state athletic commission, when Almbren's term expires January 1.

This will give Governor Young his first member on the boxing commission, which is not displeasing to him, particularly in view of the recent Dundee-Hudkins fiasco. The two other members are Seth Strelinger, Hollywood contractor, and Charles Traung, San Francisco printer. Both are Richardson appointees.

## Italians Export Thousands Of Ties

ROME, Dec. 23.—Italy claims an important share in the elegance of thousands of American homes.

Men's silk ties are imported from Italy into the United States by the hundred thousand every year, and according to trade reports, they compare favorably with the best products of Lyons or Crefeld.

Upwards of 65,000 pounds of silk ties for men leave the Como factories every year for America, and the total value of this export trade is considerably over \$200,000 per year.

## WHALES STUDIED ON LONG CRUISE

FALMOUTH, England, Dec. 23.—After two years of cruising in Antarctic polar seas, where each day's log was a novel of adventure, the three masted auxiliary bark Discovery has put in at Falmouth harbor.

As cargo it brought thousands of specimens of deep sea life, some of them fished from a depth of three miles. With massive cross-beams and with timber sides two feet thick it pushed through ice fields hundreds of miles long, penetrated far beyond Cape Horn and was out of touch with civilization for nine months at a stretch.

A study of the humpbacked whale, big fellow of the deep, was the mission of the Discovery's crew. In its quest it skirted dangerous shores of impassable ice, through uncharted seas and shifting gulfs, beneath the million-starred skies of the polar nights and the faint sun-haze of the days.

The Discovery is a famous vessel. In it Scott made his first Antarctic expedition, lasting from 1901 to 1904, and on it Shackleton

served as third officer. Captain J. R. Stenhouse, who went to Shackleton's relief in 1914, commanded the vessel on its latest quest.

Financed by the Falkland Islands government, the Discovery went in 1925 to the South Seas to learn the haunts, food, methods of living and migratory habits of whales.

In view of the threatened extinction of whales in the Southern seas and the serious impairment of the industries depending on whale products, the expedition proved of great importance. The tribe of the humpbacked whale has largely diminished in some areas, though blue whales and fin whales seem as abundant as ever. A hundred thousand whales are killed each year.

How long whales live, whether they have many wives or only one apiece, what the whale birth rate is and how far whales travel were some of the problems for which the adventuresome explorers sought solution.

A special apparatus was designed to shoot silver-plated darts into the heavy hide of the whale, with the object of studying his habits and migration. The dart bears the date, latitude and longitude of the spot where it was fired. Whenever the whale is killed the identity disc is reported and the distance the whale has traveled can be computed.

## Widow Of Famous Dancer Will Wed

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Mrs. Eleanor Ambrose Maurice, internationally known dancer and widow of the famous Maurice Maurice, will be married tomorrow to Charles Sabin, one of her late husband's proteges.

After the death of Maurice, in Paris, last spring, Eleanor returned to New York and announced the "split" of her late husband had directed her to give dancing lessons to Sabin.

The two have been dancing together this winter.

## Teachers' College Unit Is Approved

SANTA BARBARA, Dec. 23.—Approval has been given plans for the \$175,000 unit of the Santa Barbara State Teachers' College and bids will probably be asked by the state before the end of this month. Only a few minor details remain to be decided upon; then President Clarence L. Phelps will go to Sacramento to confer with the state architect's office. The new unit will be known as home economics and science building.

## Forest Control Of Floods Told

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Discussing the part which forestry can play in the control of destructive floods, W. B. Greeley, chief of the forest service, United States department of Agriculture, makes clear that the forest can not be substituted for engineering structures in flood control, but that forestry has a valuable service to offer "as a handmaiden of engineering." Erosion plays an important part in creation of flood conditions. Forests generally are an excellent protection against erosion, but their service is by no means uniformly effective. For example, in the northern lake states the soil is generally porous, with considerable humus from forests, and the region is full of lake swamp storage basins, so that the Mississippi above St. Paul carries a yearly silt discharge of only 117,000 tons. The Tennessee river, on the other hand, drains a territory of heavy, compact soils which erode easily. Its basin is only about twice as large as the upper Mississippi, but it carries an annual silt burden of 11,000,000 tons.

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## 5322 VALENCIA CARS IN 1928 IS PREDICTION

FULLERTON, Dec. 23.—Though accurate estimates on next season's valencia crop in northern Orange county, which is now beginning to size and color up nicely, are not expected to be completed until after the first of January, George C. Crawford, assistant manager of the Northern Orange County Citrus exchange, declared today that the yield would be between 75 and 80 per cent of last season's phenomenal crop.

The exchange houses in the northern Orange county section shipped a total of 5322 cars of valencias last season and, if Crawford's estimate is correct, some 4300 cars will be shipped by these houses next season. Adding to this figure 1400 cars that independent houses may be expected to ship, northern Orange county's valencia yield next year will total approximately 5700 cars.

With the decrease in quantity expected for the new crop, a corresponding improvement in size and quality is looked for, Crawford said. The new valencias have already begun to color up, at least in some sections, and if favorable weather conditions continue, they should make rapid strides in growth, he said.

That the average size of both inside and outside fruit is a packing house size less than for this time last year was revealed this morning by the regular monthly growth rate survey report prepared by Dr. D. D. Waynick, of the Association Laboratory, of Lincoln road, Anaheim.

On the other hand, Dr. Waynick reports, the growth put on by inside fruit during the period November 1 to December 10 was greater than during any similar period in the last three years. That the outside fruit did not show a proportionately greater growth rate during this period is blamed to the severe desert wind, experienced throughout the section December 3 and 4, Dr. Waynick said.

### WINTERSBURG

WINTERSBURG, Dec. 23.—The Wintersburg Men's club met Tuesday evening at the Wintersburg community hall, 45 members being present. On the evening's program was a talk by the Rev. George Warner, pastor of the First Methodist church, Santa Ana. Dr. Ralph Hawes of Huntington Beach contributed two vocal solos, his accompanist being Miss June Slater.

At the business meeting, which was presided over by the president, R. L. Thibault, the suggestion that the club and the Oceanview school Parent-Teacher association co-operate in giving benefit programs frequently was passed upon favorably. The Rev. J. R. Carpenter and M. L. Russell are to meet with P. T. A. officers to confer on the plan. The manager who has been putting on shows at the Oceanview school for some weeks has given up his contract for the school auditorium, the attendance not being sufficient to warrant the continuance of the shows. The school district has been receiving a portion of the door receipts from the shows.

A government rain gauge has been installed at the W. F. Slater place by Mr. Trixell, who represents San Bernardino, Riverside and Orange counties in the combined effort to make records of rainfall.

The Methodist church was offered to the local Mexicans for use on Sunday afternoons, at which time they are to hold their church services, it having been decided to change the Mexican mission from Talbert to this place. The first local service was held on Sunday with 21 persons present.

Ralph Clay left Wednesday for Los Angeles, where he will remain until after Christmas as a guest in the home of his sister, Mrs. Jennie Mitchell.

Miss Geraldine Gardner, who has been confined to her bed by illness, is sufficiently improved in health to be up.

Doris Ranney is ill with chicken-pox and her sister, Jane Ranney, is convalescing from the same disease.

### SMELTZER

SMELTZER, Dec. 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Applebury entertained as a week-end guest, Mrs. Applebury's niece, Mrs. Carl Nowl, of Whittier, and on Saturday evening gave a dinner observing her houseguest's birthday anniversary. Mrs. Nowl returned to her home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Vernon Hill returned Tuesday from Santa Ana, where she and the children had been guests since Saturday in the home of her mother, Mrs. Minnie Allen, Mr. Hill going in to join his family every night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Haas, of Yorba Linda and George Abbott of Westminster, were entertained as Sunday guests in the Charles Parr home at Smeltzer.

Miss Muriel Parr is assisting her grandfather, Postmaster George Abbott, in the Westminster postoffice during the holiday rush.

Mrs. J. O. Frie held schools of instruction for the Eastern star lodge at Yorba Linda, Fullerton and Anaheim on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

## Christian Church To Name Officers

ANAHEIM, Dec. 23.—Plans are being made by the officers of the First Christian church, this city, for the annual congregation meeting and election of officers, to be held in the social hall of the church the evening of December 23, the Rev. C. C. Root, pastor of the church, announced this morning.

Reports from the various departments of the church and Sunday school will be important features of the meeting, which will be held at 7:30 o'clock, the Rev. Mr. Root said.

### SPRINGDALE

SPRINGDALE, Dec. 23.—Miss Olive Leeper and Linn DeBar, of Los Angeles, cousins of Mrs. G. M. Roberson, were entertained as week-end guests by Mr. and Mrs. Roberson. Miss Leeper was leaving Wednesday on a vacation trip to visit at her home in Oklahoma City, Okla., her first visit there in several years.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Graham went to Puente Sunday taking to their small granddaughter her Christmas tree and gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Graham were accompanied on the trip by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Young.

Phillip Ranney, who with his family resides on the McDaniels place at Springdale, is a patient at the Long Beach hospital, where he was taken following a serious accident in the Signal Hill oil field, where Mr. Ranney sustained a fracture back, fractured leg and lesser injuries. His condition is reported as improved and he will live, it is said by attending physicians.

Two months ago Mr. Ranney sustained burns while at work at the Huntington Beach oil field and but two weeks ago returned to work.

Miss Gladys Hurst of Springdale who is a teacher in the Oceanview school, went Monday to Los Angeles to attend three days of the teachers' institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Norval Moore and son, Dean, of Orange; Mrs. Maude Farrar and daughter, Maxine, of Huntington Beach, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Ray Moore and children, Harlan, Doris and Florence Ray, spent Monday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Roberson.

### GARDEN GROVE

GARDEN GROVE, Dec. 23.—The Community Men's Brotherhood met in the Baptist bungalow Tuesday evening for the regular monthly meeting. The women of the church served dinner to 50 men. The Rev. Earl Edwards, pastor of the Baptist church was the speaker of the evening.

The Beta Sigma Sunday school class of the Methodist Episcopal church held its regular meeting and Christmas party in the church parlors Tuesday evening. Vocal solos were given by Mrs. M. R. Sprinkle and Percy Prior. Miss Lois Merchant gave a Christmas reading.

A Christmas party and program was enjoyed at the Methodist Episcopal church Tuesday afternoon by the intermediate, junior, primary and beginners' department of the Sunday school.

### BUENA PARK

BUENA PARK, Dec. 23.—Miss Betty Berkey attended a bridge party at the home of Miss Patsy Lamb in Anaheim Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Ernest Rennie is spending the week at the home of Mr. Rennie's parents in Cypress while Mr. Rennie and his brother Al are in Coachella valley.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Johnson and daughter, Mabel, and son, Orville, of Highland avenue, left Friday by auto to spend Christmas with Mrs. Johnson's sister, Mrs. Ed Gulver, near Sacramento.

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## XMAS MESSAGE FOR VETERANS SENT BY FISK

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—In keeping with established custom in American Legion circles here, State Adjutant James K. Fisk on behalf of the state department of the World War Veterans' organization has sent forth a "Christmas Time Message" to the members of the Legion and to the wounded and disabled veterans in the various hospitals of the government in this state.

"If we would serve; if we would live to mark each day some happy action done, let us, men of the American Legion cast down false witness, fancied hurt and unloyal act that when another year has closed its time we may bravely and proudly say—We have played a bigger part," Fisk declares in his message.

"There is a line in our sacred preamble which obligates us, as Legionnaires, to strive toward peace and good will on earth, an obligation which we repeat from

our hearts more than fifty and two times a year as we gather in post meeting. And yet at this particular season of the year those words seem to have a more vibrant meaning, a meaning that shines from the eyes and tingles like some quickened current in the hand clasp of a comrade. Memories come—memories of that Christmas day ten years back when you and I and those of our allies all seemed truly kin, memories of the ones at home and the murmured prayer for their protection from the scourge then sweeping the land. Yes! those memories still live, for they are deep engraven upon every soul, gracious evidences of the better mould of man.

"And so we pause in retrospect combing over the hours of the past, awkwardly ashamed of cruel hurts we need not have given, jealousies, and unkind, truthless words spoken to shamelessly hide behind as some fancied wrong made us self-styled martyrs for the hour.

"Lifting more the curtain of the heart and peering still deeper in we see some timid thing—a kindly smile, a gracious act, a lying word forborne—ah, yes! a timid thing standing lone and stately like a king!"

Rebuilt Bicycles, Fix-It Shop, 105 East Third.—(Adv.)

## PEEK'S MARKET NEWS

Peek's Broadway Market 409 NORTH BROADWAY Phone 690

## Christmas Meats!



Turkeys  
Ducks  
Chickens  
Roasts

This is the one time of the year when you want to spread yourself—when you want your table to climax your best efforts.

Believe us, Peek's Market has never worked so hard to obtain the best things to help you with your Christmas table.

Our Roasts are wonderful—roast young Pork and Veal especially. FRESH DRESSED Ducks, Turkeys, Chickens, etc. All kinds of unusual meat delicacies.

Come to Peek's for fine Christmas Meats.

Leg of Lamb 35c

PEEK'S BROADWAY MARKET

409 North Broadway Opposite Yost's Broadway Theater

# CHRISTMAS DINNER

Always the Main Event

Many families for years have depended on Seidel's Markets for their turkeys. This year, as in previous years, our supply of Turkeys consists of the finest obtainable. For those who prefer other than turkey, Sei-

del's Markets are prepared to supply practically anything desired in the meat or poultry line. Fancy Christmas Blue Ribbon Prime Steer Beef, Christmas Lambs, Veal, Selected Grain Fed Nebraska Pork.

## Suggestions for Christmas Dinner

FANCY TURKEYS  
CHICKENS  
OYSTERS

DUCKS  
RABBITS

CUDAHY'S PURITAN HAMS

PORK LOIN ROASTS  
CROWN ROAST LAMB  
VEAL ROASTS

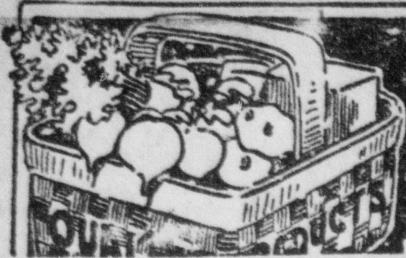
Phone Orders Delivered—Call 175

# SEIDEL'S

U. S. Government Inspected Meats Only

Seidel's Market No. 1—220 West Fourth  
Seidel's No. 2—Main and Washington  
Seidel's No. 3—East First and Lacy





# GRAND CENTRAL MARKET



Market Open Saturday Night—Closed Monday All Day!

**ONE FRIEND**

Say, we gotta bit a for Christmas that take a prize at the County Fair

Yeah! and where you get it.

They All Get It At **URBINE'S**

"Why," my wife says. "They are selling fresh killed Christmas

**TURKEYS** at 45c lb.

One Friend Tells Another

## TURKEYS

45c lb.

They also have fine tender chickens, ducks, geese, dressed rabbits, Eastern grain fed pork, tender steer beef and fine hams and bacon wrapped in Christmas wrappers.



## WEEK-END SPECIALS

Back Fat Per lb. ....	12½c	Pork Steaks, Per lb. ....	25c
Cudahy's White Ribbon Shortening lb. ....	15c	Own Own Home Rendered Lard, lb. ....	18c
		Rich, Tasty and It Goes Farther	

## Our Bargain Corner

Surely You Can Find Something Here

Smoked Picnic Hams—6 to 8 lb. average, per lb. ....	19c	Dry Salt Pork Per lb. ....	18c
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Veal Steaks, lb. ....	25c	Lean Pot Roast No. 1 Steer Beef, lb. ....	22c
Swiss Steaks, Per lb. ....	30c	Arm Cut Roast No. 1 Steer Beef, lb. ....	22c
Veal Stew, Per lb. ....	15c	Shoulder Roast, No. 1 Steer Beef, lb. ....	22c
Boiling Beef, lb. ....	10c	Our Meats Are All Inspected and Passed.	

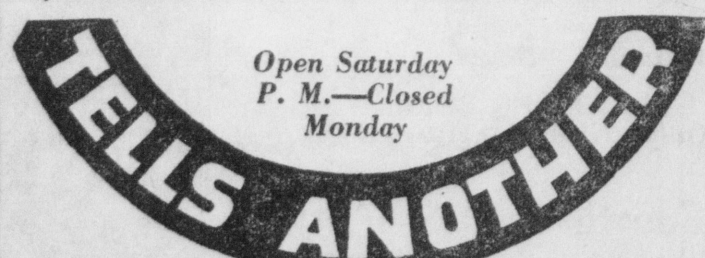
## FREE—

One-third pound Eastern Bacon with each purchase of \$1.00 or more (fresh meat up to 50c must be included.)

## URBINE'S MEAT MARKET

Sycamore Entrance—One Friend Tells Another

Open Saturday  
P. M.—Closed  
Monday



## SHOP SATURDAY — EAT HERE

Our convenient location in the center of the market makes an ideal spot for hurried last-minute Christmas shoppers to lunch. Just try us once. We know you'll come again.

## Grand Central Lunch

## BILL'S FRUIT STAND

"Nothing But The Best"

Grand Central Arcade—2nd Street Entrance

Fancy Local Celery large stalk .....	10c		
Fresh Bunch Vegetables Large Bunches .....	3 For 10c		
Sweet Spuds ..... 7 lbs. ....	25c	Jonathan Apples ..... 4 lbs. ....	25c
Solid Lettuce ..... 5c		Rutabagas at ..... lbs. ....	25c
NAVEL ORANGES DOZEN .....	15c		
Persimmons ..... 3 lbs. ....	25c	Mixed Nuts ..... 4½ lbs. ....	\$1

FREE DELIVERY

## Special for Xmas

Fruit Cakes .....	40c Lb.
Plum Pudding .....	40c Lb.
Cookies .....	2 Doz for 25c

Also a very good variety of delicious Cakes, Pumpkin and Mince Pies, Parker House Rolls, Coffee Cakes, etc.

## "EAT EATON'S BAKERY PRODUCTS"

Ask About Our Special Christmas Coffee Cake

## EATON'S BAKERY

CENTER OF MARKET

## SANITARY FRUIT STAND

Center of Market

## OUR SATURDAY SPECIALS

Russet Potatoes .. 12 lbs. ....	25c, 55c	Lug
Large Celery stalk .....	10c	
Large Solid Lettuce head .....	5c	
Extra Fancy Jonathans per box .....	\$2.45	

We still have a good assortment of Christmas trees to choose from.

## Tucker's Quality Fruits

Sycamore Entrance to Market

## ... SPECIAL ...

Jonathan Red Apples per box .....	\$2.40
Delicious Apples per box .....	\$2.50
Newtown Pippins per box .....	\$2.00
Grape Fruit ..... 6 For	25c
Cranberries at ..... 2 qts. ....	45c
Celery at ..... 2 For	15c
Solid Iced Lettuce per head .....	5c

## Winter's Quality Pleases

At Christmas time you surely want real quality products. —We have them. We are noted for our real quality Poultry, Turkeys, Ducks, Hams, Pork, etc. Ask your neighbor and order early.

## WINTER'S ARCADE MARKET

A. R. WINTER SECOND STREET ENTRANCE

## BROADWAY FRUIT MARKET

"Orange County's Largest and Finest Fruit and Vegetable Market"

<b>Apples</b> Arkansas Beauty 7 lbs. 25c per box \$1.25	<b>Oregon Burbank Spuds</b> 14 lbs. 25c 50c lug \$1.65 cwt. All other Spuds at special prices No. 1 Ripe Bananas 2 Doz. 25c Northern Seedless Grapefruit ..... 10 For 25c All Bunch Vegetables ..... 2 For 5c Solid Lettuce ..... 2 For 5c Bleached Celery— Large.. 2 For 15c, Med. 5c Sweet Spuds large ..... 8 For 25c Solid Cabbage ..... 2c lb. Strawberry Rhubarb ..... 8 lbs. 25c	<b>Walnuts</b> Ready to Mail 5 lbs. 75c 10 lbs. \$1.45  <b>Brazil Nuts</b> 2 lbs. 55c  <b>Almonds</b> Soft Shell per lb. 25c  <b>Budded Walnuts</b> 6 lbs. \$1.00
<b>Winesap Apples</b> \$2.25 a box	<b>GLAZED FRUIT</b> 1 lb., 75c—2 lbs., \$1.45 All Other Vegetables and Fruits at Knockout Prices	

ALL XMAS BOXES AT HALF PRICE

Free Delivery — Free Delivery — Free Delivery

Merry Xmas to Each And All Of You

The Beauty of  
Our Business is

## Flowers

FRESH CUT  
FLOWERS  
FERNS  
CYCLAMEN  
WREATHS  
HOLLY  
BASKETS

Flowers express thoughts that no other gift can. They are most appreciated and make a lasting impression.

Give Flowers

## Grand Central Flower Shop

Phone 1942  
WE DELIVER



## GRAND CENTRAL Fish and Poultry Market

Phone 1335-R

## MERRY CHRISTMAS

and may the day be full of real, old-fashioned Yuletide cheer.

Fresh—Smoked  
Salted  
Shrimp—Lobster

## Oysters

Fresh dressed Turkey  
Ducks, Rabbits, Poultry  
and Capons.

## COMPARE

## Use Dining Car Blend Coffee

It Excels in Flavor—The Taste Lingers  
Demonstration Saturday,  
(Blended by a Master Blender)

## Coffee Blender's Shop

GRAND CENTRAL MARKET

## A Last Minute Christmas Offer—All Day Saturday

While they last we are giving a beautiful \$8.00 BELMONT TREELITER absolutely FREE with each

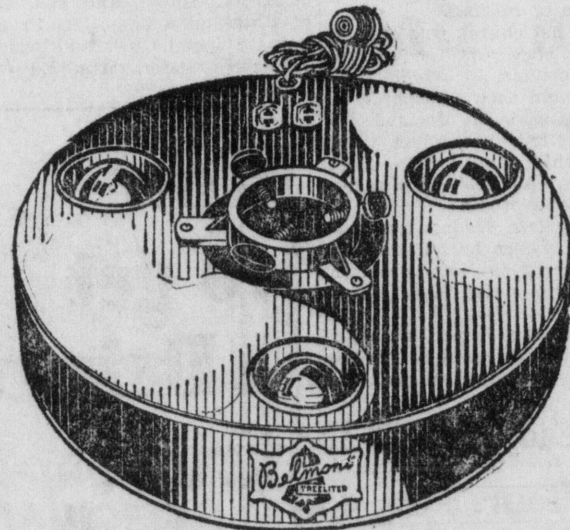
## Royal Electric Cleaner

AND POLISHER

OR ROYAL VACUUM CLEANER

"Our Gift to You"

"A Royal for Christmas"



A Belmont Treeliter and Holder

Keeps the tree steady—water reservoir keeps it fresh—electrical connections for tree lights and electrical toys—regularly sells for \$8.00.

This Offer  
Solves a Last Minute  
Christmas Gift Need  
and  
Tops Off Your  
Plans for Decorating  
Your Home for  
Christmas

THE TREASURED GIFT  
SOLD ON TERMS TO MEET  
YOUR BUDGET

## NEW SUPER ROYAL

Today's greatest Vacuum Cleaner investment—62½% more suction—complete with 8-piece set of swiveled cleaning tools at the  
NEW LOWER PRICE \$74.50

(New weighted Electric Floor Waxer and Polisher included without extra cost)

## Also REGAL ROYAL

A new cleaner just announced by manufacturer of quality products..... \$33.75

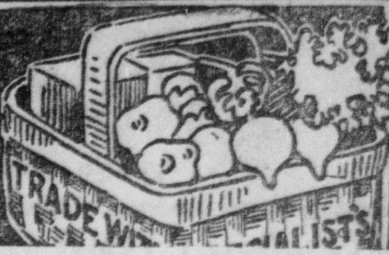
## TAYLOR'S HOME APPLIANCE SHOP

118 NORTH SYCAMORE GRAND CENTRAL MARKET. PHONE 985





# GRAND CENTRAL MARKET



**Market Open Saturday Night—Closed Monday All Day!**

Do You Know the Bee Hive Saves You Money?

**15 Lbs. Cane SUGAR, 95c**

**BUTTER SPECIAL**

**Best Butter in bulk 52c lb.**

**GOOD CREAMERY BUTTER in bulk, lb. 50c**  
**Eight Brands of CARTON BUTTER 49c AND UP**

EXTRA SPECIAL

**Golden West Margarine 19c lb., 2 lbs. 37c**

This product is standard, we have featured it for the past 8 months and have built a wonderful trade of satisfied customers. The quality is guaranteed—try it!

**New Golden Dates, 15c** **Seedless Raisins, 33c**  
 in bulk, lb. 2 lbs. 25c 4 lbs.

## MERRY CHRISTMAS

We know you will enjoy this coming Christmas day—but may we suggest that you look over our display and let us help you with your Christmas day feast. Remember, too, that we are closed Monday—so stock up.



### Delicatessen Specials

**Virginia Baked Ham, lb. 75c** **Meat Loaf lb. 45c**  
**Chili Con Carne 20c pint**  
**Boston Baked Beans 15c pint**  
**Macaroni and Cheese 20c pint**  
**Scalloped Potatoes 20c pint**

Complete line of pickles and olives in bulk—also all other holiday lunch delicacies, such as Summer Sausages, Potato Chips, Pretzels, Cordials, etc.

OUR OWN MAKE LEMON FLAVORED

**Mayonnaise**

**And 1000 Island Dressing, pint 25c**

37 DIFFERENT VARIETIES OF IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC

**CHEESE**

Including Sandwich Loaf Cheeses in five different kinds; Camembert, Limburger, Roquefort, Imported Swiss, Pabst-ett, etc., etc., etc.

**The Bee Hive Delicatessen**

Broadway Entrance—Charles W. and D. B. Treve

## Hendricksen Bros.

**Oats, Rolled bulk, 4 pounds .... 25c**

**Milk, tall (limit 6 cans to a customer), 3 for .... 25c**

**Soap, P. & G., 10 Bars .... 39c**

**Sugar, 10 Lbs. .... 65c**

**Marvin Dates—try these—1 lb. .... 35c**

**Genuine Buckwheat Flour, 5 lbs. 45c**

Newmarks; Fancy Sause and Vegetables. Tea Garden; Fancy Jellies, Jams, and Syrups.

A Merry Christmas to you all. Many thanks for your patronage and kindness.

Self Service

Two Free Deliveries Daily

**Hendricksen Bros.**

SYCAMORE ENTRANCE

**Celebrate Christmas with Health-Giving California Sun-dried Fruits. We have them in baskets, boxes and packages.**

Yellow and Rice Popcorn That Will Pop.

Our Stone Burr Mill Grinds the Whole Grains

All Kinds of Health Building Foods

**Whole Wheat Bread**

(Made From Our Own Flour)

"ASK THE FOLKS WHO EAT IT"

**STANA GRIST MILL**

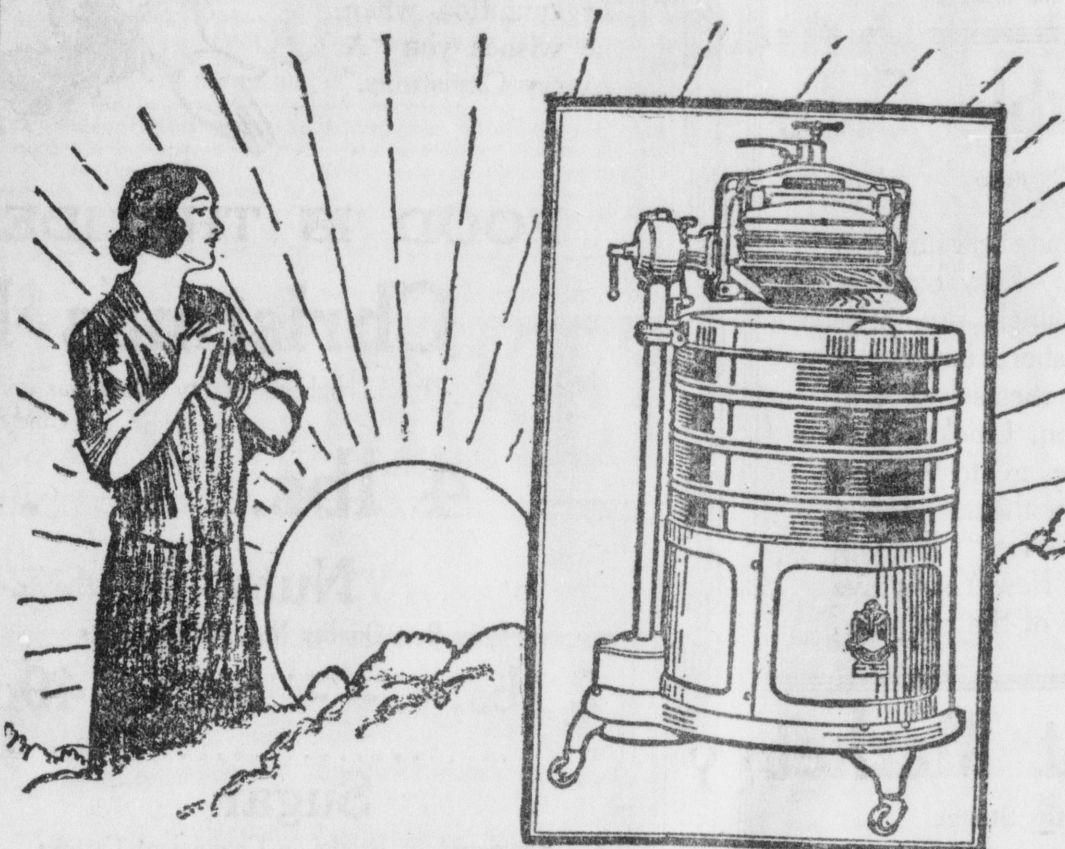
Home of the P. W. and Five Grain Cereals

**Special Saturday Old-Fashioned Chocolates 20c lb.**

The good, creamy, delicious chocolates that please all. Special for Saturday only

**THE DAIRY STORE**

MRS. C. L. BROOKS, Prop. Broadway Entrance



**The "1900" WHIRLPOOL**  
**Spells a New Day for Housewives—**

**N**O more pushing, pulling, lifting or shifting of bulky washing machines, levers or cylinders when you Wash with a Whirlpool—the modern washer for modern women.

Small in size, it nevertheless holds 21½ gallons of water. A touch moves it from place to place. A single switch controls its washing action. It can be filled or emptied, without disturbing the washing. A child can operate the Whirlpool for there is nothing to learn, nothing to adjust and nothing to worry about.

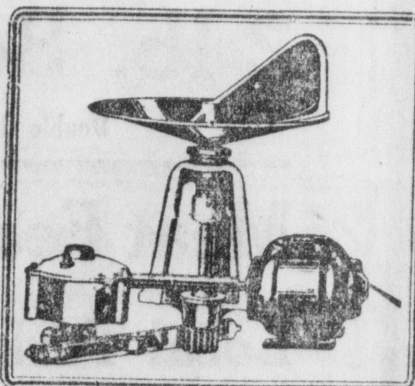
Because of its remarkable simplicity and its single vane circulator pictured below, found in no other washer, the "1900" Whirlpool will do an average family's washing in ONE HOUR. The Whirlpool is the world's fastest washing machine. A trial in your own home will show you how you can eliminate Monday washing worry, forever.

**WHIRLPOOL CIRCULATOR**

This exclusive single vane circulator gives the Whirlpool its double washing action.

It forces the water through the clothes and simultaneously forces the clothes through the water.

Having only one vane, the circulator can not set up cross currents to nullify the washing action.



**Speed**

The Whirlpool will wash eight pounds of clothes in five minutes.

It will do the average family washing for four people in one hour.

It is the world's fastest washing machine by actual test and is built like a fine motor car to give a maximum of speed with a maximum of service. It will last a lifetime of washings.

Phone for a FREE Demonstration—in your Home

**ORANGE HARDWARE CO.**

HOMER LARKIN, Owner

SPECIALTY SHOP

Grand Central Market

**Skinner's Dept. Store**

115 North Broadway and Grand Central Market

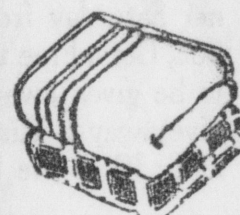
**Big Shipment of New Christmas Merchandise At Sale Prices**

**8 Doz. Ladies' SILK HOSE**



**FULL FASHIONED PURE SILK AT \$1.48**

**BLANKETS**



**70x80 DOUBLE \$1.98**

\$2.85 value Grey, Tan and White  
**PART WOOL DOUBLE 66x80 \$3.95**  
**Men's Sweaters, \$4.85**  
\$4.85 value. Sateen bound. beautiful plaid col. Extra heavy weight

**Ladies' Bathrobes, \$4.85**

**Children's Sox, 35c**  
A new line Cutie Sox, all colors and sizes 5½ to 8½.



**Caps, \$1.98**

\$2.50 value new Fall caps, unbreakable bib, all heavy silk lined.

**Ties**

**89c**

\$1 to \$1.25 value; new Christmas Ties; 25 dozen to choose from



**MEN'S SOX**



**Fancy Rayon and Silk 50c to 89c pr.**

**Men's Sweaters, \$4.85**  
All wool, coat style.

**Dress Shirts \$1.48**

**Shoes \$3.69 Pair**

**Grand Central Mercantile Co.**

**KLAMM and NELSON**  
**Wish Our Many Friends and Patrons a MERRY CHRISTMAS and a HAPPY NEW YEAR**

We invite you to call and get one of our beautiful 1928 Calendars



**TURKEYS**

**Fancy Imperial Valley Corn Fed, Fresh Killed Turkeys, Lb. ... 55c**

**Choice Young Long Island DUCKS, lb. .... 43c**

**Fancy Rhode Island Red HENS for roasting, lb. .... 43c**

**Choice Rhode Island Red SOFT BONE ROASTERS, lb. .... 45c**

**YOUNG HENS for roasting, 3 to 4 lb. average, lb. .... 32c**

**FANCY HENS for fricasse, lb. .... 30c**

**P-O-R-K**

**PORK LOIN ROASTS, Lean and fancy, lb. .... 30c**

**LEGS OF PIG PORK, Very choice. Whole or half, lb. .... 25c**

**CHRISTMAS PORK SHOULDERS Fancy. Whole, lb. .... 19½c**

**Choice Legs of MILK LAMB, lb. .... 35c**

**MILK VEAL ROASTS, Extra fancy, lb. .... 20c**

We can assure you of a special selection of fancy Steer Rump, Prime Rib and Pot Roasts.

**MORRELL'S PRIDE IOWA SKINNED HAMS, lb. .... 27c**

Center Slices for Christmas Morning Breakfast, 25c Each

**Choice Eastern BREAKFAST BACON, in piece, lb. .... 30c**

**EASTERN SMOKED PICNIC HAMS, lb. .... 21c**

Open Saturday P. M.—Closed Monday

**BROADWAY MEAT MARKET**

BROADWAY ENTRANCE

Phone 2505—We Deliver Free

"Highest Quality—Lowest Prices"

KLAMM & NELSON, Props.



# THE WEEKLY PANTRY SHELF

## YULE GREETING SHOWS PATHOS IN SUB SINKING

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Walter Bishop, poet-radio man aboard the S-4, laughed at the thought of death two months ago and refused to take out insurance.

"Let's save our money, instead, to put Dorothy Louise through high school," he told his wife, referring to their 8-month-old daughter.

Today young Mrs. Bishop showed the insurance papers he had refused to sign with his laughing. "Oh, I'm not going to die," she awaited delivery of \$579—Bishop's six months' pay from the navy—as the sole stake with which she must carry on.

The Associated Charities were accepting contributions toward the baby's future education.

Bishop wrote last Saturday, before the S-4 sank, that he would be home Friday (today) and "bet you can't guess what I have for you for Christmas." His wife received the note on Monday, when the S-4 lay wrecked in the mud.

She sadly displayed a Christmas card she had prepared for him. It bore a verse and for that reason she had thought he would like it. The card read:

"Another Christmas day is here And I wonder if you know You're 365 times as dear As you were a year ago."

## Kentucky Seeks National Park

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 23.—A National park in Kentucky, including world famous Mammoth cave and the surrounding territory of subterranean marvels and scenic beauties, is planned by the Mammoth Cave National Park association, which is preparing to launch a state-wide campaign for \$2,000,000 to purchase the cave region.

Once purchased, the lands, covering 70,613 acres, will be turned over to the United States government to be maintained and developed, thenceforth as a national park. Congress has already authorized their acceptance.

The association sponsoring the project has compiled a list of figures which shows how national parks in other sections of the United States have been the means of attracting an enormous number of tourists, thus adding to the region's economic welfare and general progress.

America's national parks until this time have practically all been west of the Mississippi with one exception, namely Lafayette National park, on an island of eight square miles far up along the coast of Maine.

Members of the Mammoth Cave National Park association who have studied the situation carefully declare thousands of tourists who now go to the west will stay in the east, and with such a national park as Mammoth cave and its adjoining regions so convenient—a multitude of other persons will be influenced to travel.

Their visit will not be limited to a day or two in Kentucky. They will remain a week, or a month, visiting the state's other points of interest.

This year only about 60,000 persons have visited the cave regions.

**HAGEN HASN'T QUIT**  
Stockholders of the Rochester International league club deny that Walter Hagen, champion professional golfer, has withdrawn from the club. They say he has invested \$25,000 and will take an active part in its business affairs.

**MAY BE DRAFTED**  
B.H. Johnson, who quite playing tennis to enter business a few months ago, may be drafted for service within the next few months.

## Ohioan Claimed Oldest Graduate

DELAWARE, O., Dec. 23.—Dr. Samuel W. Williams, Wyoming, O., oldest living alumnus of Ohio Wesleyan university, who recently celebrated his 100th birthday, is believed to be the oldest college graduate in the United States.

Officials of the Ohio Wesleyan alumni association here hope to hear from anyone who can challenge Dr. Williams' right to the title of the "oldest living college graduate."

Dr. Williams will celebrate the 80th anniversary of his graduation from Ohio Wesleyan university next June, having graduated in the class of 1848, of which he is the sole survivor. He has spent practically all of his life in Cincinnati aside from a few years spent teaching at Ohio Wesleyan and later at McKendree college, Lebanon, Ill. He became connected with the Methodist Book concern, Cincinnati, in 1859, and served as book editor for that organization during 50 years.

Some 10,000 volumes are included in the private library which Dr. Williams has collected. Although he is now unable to leave his home, due to the infirmities of old age, he is still able to read his Testament in the original Greek as a mental diversion.

## Woman, 117, Takes Airplane Jaunt

LONG BEACH, Dec. 23.—Rosalie Chavez Ramez has taken her first airplane ride at the age of 117 years.

The aged great-great-grandmother, born in a wild, rolling valley near San Bernardino, in untold days, capitulated to the persuasions of relatives after a determined stand to stay on land after living as long as she had.

She declared she was not afraid at any time during the trip but marvelled at the advancement in transportation since the days of the early railroad engine.

**FAMED PLAYER TO WED**  
TOKIO, Dec. 23.—Takaichi Harada, famed Japanese tennis player and member of the Japanese Davis cup team, is engaged to marry Miss Masako Muneata, 21 years old, daughter of a wealthy Osaka business man.

The ceremony will take place in Osaka next March.

Harada is immensely popular in Japan and recently returned from the United States after playing in the Davis cup series.

**AUSTRALIAN HERO**  
The most popular jockey in Australia is Bobby Lewis, a 49-year-old.

**JOHNSON'S MARKET**  
Opposite P. O.  
Phone 1091-J

*We dress all our own poultry. Try one for Christmas.*

**CHICKENS**  
29c Lb. and up

**Fresh Meats of All Kinds**  
Leg of Pork, 21c  
Whole or half, lb., 21c  
Shoulder End Pork Loin Roast, lb., 22c  
Lamb, 29c  
Legs, lb., 29c  
Lamb, 22c  
Shoulder, lb., 22c

**Grocery Dept.**  
Regular 50c box Bishop's Graham Crackers, 40c  
Bulk Soda Crackers, lb., 16c  
Fancy Eastern Corn, 2 for 25c  
Regular 18c No. 4 Sieve Peas, 8 cans \$1.00  
Del Monte Tomato Sauce, 5c  
Hull-less Popcorn per box 10c  
Free—one 25c jar Sandwich Spread with one large Mayonnaise at 45c  
All Bunch Vegetables, 3 for 10c  
Celery, large bunches, 2 for 15c  
Lettuce, large solid heads 5c  
Burbank Potatoes, 10 lbs., 25c  
Porterville Oranges, 25-35-40, doz. 70c

W. Paul Johnson is back in the old stand with a complete new stock of meats, groceries and vegetables and service excelled by none. Prices are all marked down to help yourself style.

## TWO NEW POTATO DISEASES FOUND

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Two new potato diseases have been reported to the U. S. department of agriculture.

One has been discovered in Utah and the other in England, still a stranger to this country.

The Utah potato ailment resembles the disease called "witches' broom" and comes out in the form of a poorly grown stalk in the shape of a witch's broom. Tiny tubers of a greenish hue appear above the ground and many of the plants affected early in the season are entirely devoid of potatoes.

It is believed that some new kind of insect has something to do with the progress of this disease, although government scientists still are at a loss to explain it.

The British potato blight is called "leaf-curl" and is believed to be similar to the common "leaf roll" in America. The disease has caused a tremendous loss especially in Lancashire.

Plants affected by this disease grow quickly like weeds, the stalks taking almost all the vitality, while the potatoes themselves are stunted in growth.

## Says Marriage Plan Not New In Frozen North

BERKELEY, Calif., Dec. 23.—"There is nothing new under the sun"—and least of all, companionate marriage, according to Arthur Elde, author, educator and missionary who recently returned to Berkeley after a dozen years spent in the far north.

Companionate marriage has been a custom of the Eskimos for many years, Elde says. And not only that but it has been successful. When an Eskimo couple marry they live together for a

few months or years, and then if they are dissatisfied, the bride returns to the Igloo of her family without in any way impairing her matrimonial chances.

Elde was for several years in charge of the medical and educational work at Point Barrow and had the opportunity to study the social life and traditions of the

Eskimos at first hand. He came back to Berkeley to finish writing his book, "Lost Customs and Traditions of the Eskimos."

"Sex Equality," another pet social theory of the white race, is also a time-honored custom among Eskimos. If anything, the women are the rulers of the family. A woman may enter into any kind of

a trading bargain or agreement of her own accord, but a man when making such a transaction, must first obtain the sanction of wife or mother. The man is the "provider" but the woman is the "worker," according to Elde.

Elde married Princess Gooda-look, daughter of one of the most powerful Eskimo chiefs, before his

venture into the frozen north. Margaret, one of Elde's children, was the first child to succumb to the diphtheria epidemic at Nome two years ago. At that time Elde was in Seattle and weather conditions made it impossible for him to reach his family.

Zenith Radio at Gerwing's—Adv.

## Peoples Arcade

417 WEST FOURTH STREET  
420 WEST FIFTH STREET  
E. D. WAFFLE, Owner and Manager

## Revolving Table Cafe

CARRIE ADAMS, Manager

Ladies down town shopping will find this an ideal place to lunch. Busy business men can have their lunch promptly. Clerks who have but a short time at the noon hour can serve themselves and have time for recreation. Chicken dinner Saturday from 11 a. m. to 9 p. m. 50c. Get a Free ticket for the automobile to be given away March 1st. We will give away a Turkey on New Year's Eve at 8:30 as the last act of the old year.

## Arcade Meat Market

419 West Fourth Street  
L. BROWN (Brownie), Proprietor

"Brownie" wishes to thank his many friends and customers who renewed his acquaintance last Saturday after his absence of eight months from the retail meat business, and wishes all a Very Merry Christmas.

**TURKEYS**  
FANCY FRESH  
IMPERIAL VALLEY  
CORNFED  
55c

Choice Long Island Ducks, lb. 43c  
Fancy R. I. Hens for Roasting, lb. 43c  
Choice R. I. Red Soft-Boned Roasters, lb. 45c  
Fancy Hens for Roasting, lb. 32c  
3 to 4 lb. average  
Young Hens, 2 to 3 lb. average, lb. 30c  
Lean Pork Loin Roast, lb. 30c  
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May every individual in Southern California know the fullest measure of joy and gladness. We earnestly hope this will prove the finest Christmas our whole country has ever known.

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<b>Nuts</b> Very Best Quality No. 1 Mixed Nuts	<b>2 lbs.</b> - - - - - <b>69c</b>
<b>2 lbs.</b> - - - - - <b>49c</b>	<b>Raisins</b> Safeway Seedless—From California's finest Vineyards
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<b>1 lb.</b> - - - - - <b>10c</b>	<b>Holiday Combination</b> Bishop's 1-lb. Petite Wafers. 1-lb. English Style Christmas Package.
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<b>3 cans</b> - - - - - <b>35c</b>	<b>Pumpkin</b> Oak Glen. Fine Flavored—Golden Pumpkin. Large 2 1/2 Cans.
<b>Mince Meat</b> Heinz. Cheap as bulk, with Heinz quality.	<b>2 lb. tin</b> - - - - - <b>45c</b>
<b>2 lb. tin</b> - - - - - <b>45c</b>	<b>2 cans</b> - - - - - <b>25c</b>

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Redwood Box—Containing two pounds of stuffed and glazed fruits. **Box - - - \$1.25**

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# THE WEEKLY PANTRY SHELF

## ASKS GOVERNOR TO PUT BAN ON COUNTY JAILS

BY ESTO BROUGHTON  
Staff Correspondent, Santa Ana Register

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 23.—Claiming that many county jails are "unfit for human beings and only suitable for pigs," Mrs. Anna L. Saylor, state director of the department of social welfare, urged Governor Young at the monthly cabinet meeting today to take steps to condemn such buildings.

As a result of her investigations into some of the county jails which revealed such filth, lack of ventilation, sanitation and fire protection that they were a menace to the lives and health of the inmates, Mrs. Saylor advocated that the Council back a law placing power in some state body to compel the counties to abate these conditions.

The inquiry which was first launched in response to complaints from county jail prisoners, the social welfare worker reported, has uncovered inhuman surroundings unfit for men and hardly suitable for animals.

The first complaint came from a prisoner incarcerated for bootlegging. He charged that he "had been imprisoned for 94 days in a jail with no bath tub, no change of bedding, no fire escape, no ventilation or light except through a sky-light." And the truth of these complaints was borne out by the

investigation, the department chief asserted.

"This is only one of the many county jails where dirty unhealthy conditions exist," Mrs. Saylor declared. "Through lack of ventilation and fire protection these prisoners would face certain death in case of fire."

The absence of separate places of incarceration for women and juvenile offenders in county jails was also criticized by the woman director, who said "it was a disgrace to the state that counties existed where no protection was given the juvenile prisoner or separate quarters were maintained for women."

## Be Careful Of What You Drink, How You Drink It

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Dr. Charles Norris, chief medical examiner of New York City, has given 10 rules which he warns those who will drink during the Christmas merry making to imbibes by. They are:

- Don't drink promiscuously.
- Don't drink too much.
- Don't drink fast.
- Don't mix drinks.
- Don't trust your bootlegger.
- Don't drink much water between drinks of liquor.
- If sick, eat some mustard. If worse, call a doctor.
- Don't drive after drinking.
- Do your drinking at home.
- Don't drink.

WOULDN'T SIGN  
NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 23.—William Lee, negro, refused to sign an application for an automobile license because "the Lord appeared to him and told him not to sign anything." The license was refused.

## EXPLORERS SEEK DINOSAURS' GRAVES

By DUANE HENNESSY  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 23.—In the Galapagos Islands, where are specimens of plant and animal life prevail, man is to seek out the burying ground of the dinosaurs.

The devil lizard of Komoda Island, the repulsive sea snake and the missing treasure of the Cocos also will attract the 35 men of the Galapagos Exploration expedition, who will sail from Los Angeles harbor on a nine months cruise January 15.

In the party will be Dr. George Mishke Sutton, famous bird curator and one of the foremost bird painters of the United States. It was announced Donald Teed, of the Michigan Museum of Zoology, is to gather specimens for that institution.

Under the direction of F. H. Herick and George Knox, business manager, the expedition will sail in the yacht Sultana, to be skippered by Captain J. Carpelan.

The itinerary of the expedition includes Panama, Cocos Island, Galapagos Islands, Samoa, Fiji, Australia, Komoda and Boli Island, Java, Siam, Singapore, Borneo, Dutch Guinea, Marshall Islands and Hawaii.

Indefatigable Island, of the Galapagos group, is believed by the leaders of the venture to possess the dinosaur graveyard. The Galapagos are said to have been touched by several parties, but the present expedition hopes to hack its way much deeper into the forbidding undergrowth than its predecessors.

An amphibian airplane, to be carried aboard the Sultana, would be pressed into service at this time to drop supplies too burdensome to be packed by land.

The dangerous devil lizard lives

on land and water. The reptile, it is said, will attack men and has been known to swim 200 to 300 yards off shore to fight young sharks.

A small specimen brought out by a previous expedition died within a short time. Every facility will be provided aboard the Sultana for transporting the rare animals and delicate plants.

Specimens of the Marine Iguana lizard and the devil fish also will be brought back alive if possible.

Complete apparatus for motion pictures, together with a leading man and a leading woman, will be used in the production of a travelogue with a plot by Paul Perry, chief photographer and a member of the American Society of Cinematographers.

## Daughter, 61, In Court For Attack On Her Mother, 91

TROYES, France, Dec. 23.—A bent, white haired old woman answered the call. "Prisoner to the bar" to face a charge of "beating her mother." Officials, lawyers and spectators thought there must be some mistake.

The prisoner proved to be a widow, Louise Bernard, 61.

"Did you beat your mother?" the judge asked.

"Yes, and I am here to prove it. Look at my black eye," shouted someone in the rear of the courtroom.

The prosecuting witness was another widow, Madame Bilbot, 99.

"I saw her do it!" shouted another woman, evidently well past 40. "I am the granddaughter of the plaintiff."

The judge dismissed the case.

"Go home and make up, children," was the court's advice.

Rebuilt Bicycles. Fix-It Shop, 105 East Third.—(Adv.)

## SAYS SLOW PUPILS NOT ALWAYS BEST

BERKELEY, Dec. 23.—"Slow but sure," twin adjectives, should no longer be used together, according to George A. Rice, lecturer in education at the University of California. After 6000 students in California were tested, it was found that the "slow" student is not at all the "sure" one, and the quick student is the accurate one.

"Some of the tests were repeated, giving students twice as much time as had been allowed for the first trial, and the order in which their grades stood did not change at all. The slow students improved a little, but the speedy ones improved a lot," Rice said.

Rice found that the more intelligent students put in much less time on study than do the dull ones. While the dull ones were burning the midnight oil, the intelligent ones were sleeping along without any trouble, going to dances and parties, and still maintaining a higher standard of scholarship than the duller ones.

Refuting the charges that the wealthy student gets all the "breaks" in student life, Rice said, "In San Francisco, for example, the girl who obtained the highest score in the tests was the daughter of a street-sweeper, and the second highest was a Chinese girl."

## Florida Seeks National Honors With Bible Class

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 23.—The Men's Bible class is running a close race with that of Long Beach, Calif., for the record attendance in United States Father and Son day is celebrated this month as a special feature. Nearly 1000 are in attendance at the weekly meetings.

Make Reservations now, turkey dinner, Rose Arbor Inn, Sunday, Monday, Telephone 3454-W.

## German Suicide Rate Increases

BERLIN, Dec. 23.—Germany enviously eyes Greece, the land with few suicides.

The number of suicides in Germany has increased even compared with the rate during the post-war inflation period, according to the latest statistics. Stabilization of the nation's currency has not lessened individual financial distress, the principal cause of voluntary death. In 1925 there were 15,273 deaths, compared with 13,149 in 1923, the height of the inflation period.

With an annual suicide rate of 2.3 to every 10,000 persons, Germany comes third after Hungary with 2.7, and Czechoslovakia with 2.6. Switzerland and Austria follow close on Germany with 2.4 suicides out of every 10,000 inhabitants.

At the better end, Greece leads with only two suicides to every 100,000 or less than one-tenth the number in Germany. Other favorable rates are: Ireland, 3 to 100,000; Spain, 4; Lithuania, 5 and Italy, 9. The figure for Ireland is for the Irish Free State. In

North Ireland there are exactly twice as many self-murderers or 6 to every 100,000 inhabitants. Sweden with 14 suicides to every 100,000 unit has more than double the rate in Norway, where there are but 6.

Statistics show that the Southern European countries have a smaller suicide rate than the Northern, with the exception of Ireland, where a low rate prevails.

## Murderer Will Be Defended By Victim's Money

DUBUQUE, Ia., Dec. 23.—Leonard Cota, 18, Altoona, Wis., confessed accomplice to the slaying of his grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth McKirick, Zwingle, Ia., will be defended with money inherited by his family from the estate of the aged reclus. It was indicated as lawyers conferred on defense plans.

Members of the Cota family previously had announced that the estate of the wealthy woman would not be employed to defend the youth.

# Daley's

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The Christmas Spirit is permeating the entire World.

The Holiday atmosphere brings a comfortable feeling of Peace and Happiness.

This Company extends to its patrons, its officers and stockholders, its employees and friends, sincere wishes that this be the most joyous and Merry Christmas that you have ever enjoyed.

We have tried very hard to secure Holiday merchandise that will be of benefit to you. Our store forces are continuing to give the same courteous and efficient service that has made "Business is good at Daley's."

Joe Daley

## White King Washing Machine Soap

Large Package 36c Limit Two

## Christmas Candy

Satin Finish 12½c Per Pound We have tons of this delicious candy but—Buy Early.

## Bishop's Xmas Sweets 45c

2-Pound Tin of Filled and Hard Candies

Fancy Mixed Nuts 25c Per Pound

## Holiday Packages

Inner Circle Chocolates; in one-pound fancy boxes. 39c

Christmas Greeting Chocolates; assorted flavors, in a fancy two and one-half pound box. \$1.15

Yuletide Chocolates—hand made—assorted flavors—packed in a very fancy two and a half pound box. \$1.59

Whippo Chocolates per pound 30c

Westwood Chocolates per pound 35c

Elva Milk Wafers per pound 35c

Cocoonut Bon Bons per pound 35c

Large Jelly Beans per pound 20c

Matinee Sticks 2 bottles 25c

Economy Mixed 2 pounds 25c

### Peanut Brittle

Rich Molasses and the best of roasted peanuts. Per lb. 20c

Old Fashioned Chocolates

Nice "creamy centers" dipped in delicious chocolate, 2 pounds 35c

Cream Mixed Candy

Cream Bon Bons and delicately flavored gum drops. The "real" Christmas Candy. Per lb. 23c

### Fruit Cakes

S-E-A-L Brand. Filled with nuts, fruits, peel and all that goes to make the best sort of cake. 15-ounce cake 35c

S-E-A-L Brand. Just the same as the small size but seven ounces more of the most delicious fruit cake ever baked. 50c

A Special Fruit cake—three pounds—the quantity will be limited at all stores. 75c

Old English Fruit Cakes. Merrie England furnished the original recipe, but we have improved upon it. The three-pound cake. \$1.00

A Fluffy Cocoonut White Cake—regular price is 50c. Special 35c

Daley's Doughnuts. The sugared ones are 25c a dozen, but the plain "like mother used to make" ones are, per dozen 20c

Six Butter Rolls. 25c

S-E-A-L Cookies. Twenty dainty cookies wrapped and placed in a carton for only 25c

Chewing Gum 3 Packs 10c

## Christmas Delicacies

Heinz Plum and Fig Pudding—the name "Heinz" guarantees high quality—20c

Heinz Fig and Plum Pudding—just the size for a half dozen people. 42c

None Such Mince Meat—makes two pies. 15c

Cranberry Sauce 15-ounce can 20c

Jones' Apple Juice 20-ounce bottle 25c

Sun Maid Raisins 15-ounce pkg. 12½c

S-E-A-L Pumpkin 1 large can 15c

Larchmont Pumpkin 1 large can 17½c

Del Monte Sweet Potatoes 1 large can 25c

Larchmont Sweet Potatoes 1 large can 25c

### Walnuts

Every one branded "Diamond." Full Number One Size. Heavy in meat. 2 pounds 55c

### Walnuts

Fancy Budded—each nut branded "Diamond." The very nicest nuts on the market; three pounds for \$1.00

### Almonds

Soft Shell. New crop. Just the right nuts to blanch and serve with butter and salt. 3 pounds \$1.00

# McFADDEN PUBLIC MARKET

"THE WHITE SPOT OF ORANGE COUNTY"

## Kibel & Gilbert

Quality—Service

515 North Main

We Wish You a Very Merry Christmas

And we hope Santa fills your stockings full of nice useful gifts.

For your Christmas Dinner—Don't Forget Mince Pie—Our Old-fashioned Mince Meat for Saturday at 2 lbs for 30c is a real Special.

Pimientos, 4 oz 25c | Jell Well, 3 for 25c

Let us help make your Christmas an enjoyable surprise. Buy your Plum Pudding, Relishes, Peas, Corn, Citron, Orange and Lemon Peel, Currants, Raisins and Cocktail Sauce from us and note the real quality.

COME HERE FOR FRESH EGGS

C. W. KIBEL—CAL. GILBERT

## Mike's Fish and Poultry Market

# TURKEYS

Mike's Own Fresh Killed for Your Christmas Dinner. You know what my Turkeys are from the past. This year's Turkeys were selected with greater care than ever before and are nice, young corn-fed, from 8 to 20 pounds.

I will also have nice fat R. I. Hens for roasting, from 4 to 7 pounds and R. I. Fryers, from 2 to 4 pounds.

I will also kill to order, nice corn-fed Geese and Ducks.

Place your orders early. Don't forget that we have oysters for your Turkey Dressings; also N. Y. Counts for frying.

Lobsters? Yes, we have them, and our own fresh cooked; also Abalones, fresh Shrimp, fresh Salmon, Halibut, Barracuda, Rock Cod, Smelts, Yellowtail and Mackerel.

I will deliver until 9 p. m. Saturday

## WILLIAM LEE

Choicest Fresh Fruits and Vegetables at all times  
McFADDEN PUBLIC MARKET

## Young's Market Company

In McFadden's Public Market

## WE'D NOT FEEL RIGHT

about it if we should let Christmas pass without extending our patrons cordial Christmas greetings—not alone from ourselves but from the people connected with this business. So we wish you the merriest sort of Christmas.

## Saturday Specials

FRESH LOCAL TURKEYS  
—Very Finest Quality .....LB. 54c

SWIFT'S PREMIUM HAMS  
—Whole or Half .....LB. 28c

YOUNG'S BEST HAMS  
—Whole or Half .....LB. 28c

PORK ROAST  
—Loin or Rib .....LB. 28c

SHOULDER LAMB ROAST  
—Whole or Half .....LB. 23c

LAMB STEW  
—Genuine Milk Lamb .....LB. 14c

SHOULDER VEAL ROAST  
—Genuine Milk Veal .....LB. 18c

FOODS OF SUPREME QUALITY

## THE DELICATESSEN

Special—Home Made Chicken Pies—20c and 25c

Have you ever tried our own made Mayonnaise? Those who have tried it claim it is the best Mayonnaise they ever tasted. For the benefit of those who have and who have not tried this Mayonnaise, we will have extra special price for tomorrow.

Regular 35c a pint  
Tomorrow only, pint..... 25c

We will also have another of those delicious Virginia Baked Hams, at special price of, lb..... 80c

### SPECIAL FOR TOMORROW

FRESH LOBSTER SALAD (NOT CANNED LOBSTER)—HOME-MADE DEVIL'S FOOD AND COCONUT CAKES. ALSO HOME MADE FRESH FRUIT PIES



## Prosecutor Asks Continuance Due To Holiday Spirit

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 23.—Christmas spirit does exist and has a very definite effect on minds of human beings, under a court decision made in Kansas City.

When James R. Page, prosecutor, asked for continuance of trial date of three bankers, charged with violation of the state banking laws, because he did not want to face a jury at the Yuletide, his request was granted.

Under reasoning of Page, minds of the jury are naturally influenced by holiday cheer and Christmas spirit.

### TIRES AT LOWEST PRICES

30x3 1/2, \$3.75; 33x4, \$6.50; 34x4 1/2, \$8.50; 31x5.25, \$8.25; 32x4, \$6.00; 32x5, \$8.50. All other sizes in stock. Gerwing's, 312 N. Broadway. —Adv.

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FIRST AIR-MAIL CLERK  
OLATHE, Kan., Dec. 20.—W. O. Tuckfarber, for 22 years a railway mail clerk, believes so strongly in the future of aviation that he has applied for appointment as air mail clerk when the time comes when air mail will be assorted en-route.

## HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

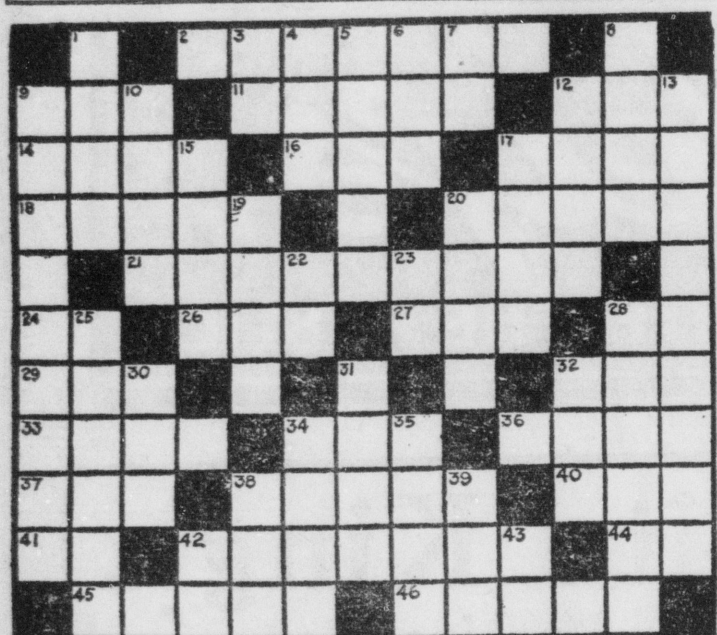
By J. P. Alley

EF MAH WHITE FOLKS AIN' KETCHED DE CHRIS'MUS FEVER, TAIN' MAH FAULT--I SHO DONE SPOSED 'EM TO IT ALL I COULD!!



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## Crossword Puzzle



### SHORT WORD PUZZLE

Another question puzzle with a good supply of short words. You may find the questions somewhat more difficult than usual.

#### HORIZONTAL—

2. Who is the premier of Hungary? 8. Crowd. 11. To cry as a cat. 12. Obstruction in a stream. 14. Employa. 16. Hog. 17. Polynesian chestnut. 18. To guide as a ship. 20. Steeple. 21. That which is transmitted orally from ancestors to posterity. 24. Correlative of either. 26. Pine tree. 27. Queen. 28. Third note in scale. 29. Guided. 32. Pin. 30. Wading bird similar to the heron. 34. Moisture found on grass mornings. 36. Drone bee (variant). 37. Woolly surface of cloth. 38. Wattle tree. 40. Wing part of a seed. 41. Neuter pronoun. 42. What is the most famous winter resort in southern France? 44. Bone. 45. To rub out. 46. Who was Pythias's bosom friend? (From Vergil's third Eclogue.)

#### VERTICAL—

1. What feminine writer is an authority on modern customs and manners? 3. Printer's measure. 4. Point. 5. Which is the most fertile of the islands of the West Indies? 6. Ear of a pitcher. 7. Delity. 8. Satiety. 9. Who is the premier of Italy? 10. From what vegetable is sugar cured? 12. The break of day. 13. What carnival day do they celebrate in New Orleans. 15. Slave. 17. A crucifix. 19. Shower. 20. Ebb and flow of water. 22. Abbreviation of "doctor." 23. Toward. 25. To refund. 28. Battlemen. 30. To immerse. 31. Peary. 32. Blue grass. 34. What bird represents peace? 35. Obnoxious plant. 38. Twice. 39. Age. 42. Sun god. 43. Part of to be.

## JACK LOCKWELL

By Patten



Lockwell was shocked by the discovery that his roommate had taken his money. Sitting down, he stared at the wall, where he seemed to behold a vivid vision. It was a mental picture of himself, wearing the masquerade costume of an Indian as he tried to carry his unconscious enemy, Price Hargan, out of a burning barn. Sinnott was showing him the way out.



Sinnott, at the risk of his own life, had dashed back into the fire-wrapped barn and guided Jack out through the tie-up door. "He saved my life!" Jack whispered.



What could Lockwell do now, even if Jerry was a thief? Leaving the light on, he went back to bed and waited. Hours later, he was roused by a cry outside the door.



That cry of surprise or alarm had awakened Jack from troubled slumber, into which he had lapsed while waiting for his roommate to return. Leaping up, he sprang to the door, flung it open and looked out into the dimly lighted hall. The Leaping Kangaroo, panting and wide-eyed, came rushing toward him, closely pursued by a figure in a fluttering robe of white. (To Be Continued)

# A LAUGH FOR EVERYBODY

WASHINGTON TUBBS II.



## OUT OUR WAY

By Williams



## SALESMAN SAM

By Small



## MINUTE MOVIES

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By Crane



## OUR BOARDING HOUSE

By Ahern



MICKEY (HIMSELF) MCGUIRE

By Ed. Wheeler

















## EVENING SALUTATION

This fine old world of ours is but a child, Yet in the go-cart. Patience! Give it time To learn its limbs: there is a hand that guides. —Tennyson.

## LET'S BOOST THE COUNTY

We have been urging unity for Orange county. We notice that practically all the leaders in the various communities in Orange county are favorable to this idea. There is the disposition, even on the part of the merchants, to urge the people to trade in their own stores if they can find what they want but in any case if possible to trade in Orange county.

This is simply following a fundamental principle of self-preservation. We have been considerably in Long Beach and Los Angeles, we never heard anyone over the radio or saw any advertising that urged the people of either of these localities to trade in Orange county or any section of it. We cannot understand, therefore, how here and there is someone living in Orange county who urges that the citizens shall look elsewhere for their association and for their commerce. But such is the case even to the point of suggesting that Los Angeles will finally be a city that will take in the cities of Orange county. Only yesterday we were in one of our local stores making purchases with the radio going full blast in the doorway. The broadcaster speaking either from and certainly on behalf of the Long Beach merchants crying out their wares, urging all who are within hearing distance to come to Long Beach to trade. We could not help smiling. A local merchant using his own room as an auditorium to induce buyers to go out of the city and out of the county to trade elsewhere! It may be that this was just exercising the Christmas spirit. But the real merchants of Santa Ana and of Orange county are endeavoring to so conduct their business as to supply to the fullest measure the homes of Orange county with all their wants and the same is true of the places of amusement and the same is true of the newspaper.

We earnestly urge the co-operation of all the business men to this end. Let us save the people their time and expense in gasoline and otherwise in going to other sections to trade and to that end let us be careful not to imply by tuning in on the radio in our own stores with Long Beach broadcasting that you can't get what you want here for it isn't true and it gives a wrong impression.

## PRESERVE THE RADIO

We have been speaking of merchants permitting their places of business to be forums for the barker, through the radio, on behalf of merchants in other cities and in other counties. The radio itself is becoming so completely commercialized that, unless something is done to change it, it is going to suffer seriously in its popularity.

When certain organizations put in broadcasting stations and simply announced the source from which the program was being broadcast they got the value from that mere announcement, through gratitude for the enjoyment and the satisfaction had. There is unquestioned value to the great institutions like the General Electric and the Willard batteries and some of the great newspapers which furnish the program. But now most of the programs are being so interspersed with pure advertising barking on many things that are not only foreign to one's interest at the moment but so out of harmony with the enjoyment of the specific program that one is sitting around the radio expecting to hear, that many times in disgust one turns it off entirely.

We would not urge for a moment that there is not a legitimate place for the advertising features over the radio but surely when a program of high character is announced, arrangement should be made so as to enable the listener to hear the program without the injection of this other matter until after the program has been given or before it begins. We would have the same objection to attending a musical function of a high character in a local auditorium if after every rendition someone came out on the platform and dilated for a few minutes on the virtues of "dynamic gasoline" and where you can procure it. To be sure, one can turn off his radio or turn it on to another station, but the other station is putting through the same kind of a performance.

And the government, in the meantime is limiting the stations. We believe in the limitation, but when it reaches the point where it practically means a limitation on advertising we will find the other commercial houses that are not on the air making objections. There should be some way found for the listener to pay for programs so that the broadcaster will not be so dependent upon its commercialization for its continuance. The radio is too fine a form of entertainment and information to have it handicapped.

## A NEW SIDELIGHT ON THE SACCO-VANZETTI CASE

The Judicial Council of Massachusetts, composed of some of the leading jurists of the Massachusetts bar, which was authorized by the legislature to report on judicial reforms, has made some very significant recommendations in its last report, one of which has specific reference to the notable Sacco-Vanzetti case.

It will be recalled that these men were tried before a judge who by law was required to pass on all the evidence, and who became the sole arbiter of the value of that evidence. Massachusetts has no judicial body which passes on the evidence after it has been taken before the trial judge. The Supreme Court may pass upon points of law, but not upon the evidence. One of the greatest criticisms made against the execution of these two men was that the evidence was passed on by a jury which only had such evidence as the judge permitted to be given in his court, and that this judge was prejudiced, and later passed upon his own prejudice.

The report of this judicial council has these facts in mind when it says: "A single judge of the Superior Court now presides over murder trials, and passes not only on questions of law involved in the trial of the indictment, but on mixed questions of law and fact rising on motions for a new trial. The Supreme Judicial Court on appeal passes only on questions of law. As the verdict of such an indictment involves the issue of life and death, we

think the responsibility too great to be thrown upon one man. . . . It is vital that our courts do justice; it is also vital that the people know that they do justice."

To be sure the pardoning power of the governor stood between the court and the execution of its sentence, but here the report is also suggestive. Holding that the governor is not always able to carry out a painstaking investigation, the report goes on to say that it would broaden the functions of the Supreme Judicial Court after the manner of that authority given to the Court of Appeals in New York. Then it adds: "If that court has the duty of examining the evidence and the facts, and complete power for a new trial, whether or not such decisions now rest within the discretion of the judge, it will be seldom indeed that there can be any occasion for a subsequent exhaustive review of the case by the governor."

Had the recommendation of this judicial council become law before the Sacco-Vanzetti case was tried, much of the agitation and the disturbance which took place in this country and in Europe would have been prevented. There was the deep-seated feeling in the minds and hearts of some of the choicest spirits here in America and in Europe that even justice had not been meted out to these men. It was that feeling which gave this case an international importance, and the state of Massachusetts a reproach which it will take generations to outlive.

## THE NEED OF CHANGE

Law, we are told, expresses a fact which the law-maker has discovered. Poor law expresses what the law-maker thinks was a fact and doesn't prove to be one. Some things remain constant, other things are variable and because of the many things that are variable apparently facts change. Laws have to be changed, therefore. The reason laws must change to meet the changing condition is because of the variable and not the constant. We are not stating new thought here, just reminding the reader of what he already knows. But it is an incident that comes to us that makes us think.

An intoxicated man drove his old nag, attached to a dilapidated wagon up to a filling station. He asked for five gallons of gasoline. The man in charge thought the drunken man was joking him and when he found that the drunken man was in earnest he tried to explain to him that there was no place to put the gasoline and a fight ensued because the drunken man thought he was driving an automobile. The police were called and they put a charge against the driver on the police blotter of "driving when intoxicated."

The defense made at the time of the trial was that there was no such law applying to driving a horse, that it only applied to power machines and that the reason for this was that there was no danger to anyone caused by a drunken driver driving a horse, that the horse went too slowly and had brains enough to keep in the road and to turn out when necessary.

We have not yet heard how the case was decided. It makes no difference as far as the point at issue is concerned. It may be that the drunken man is going to sue the gasoline man for starting trouble in the first place. One can well imagine one of our forefathers suddenly reappearing, driving his yoke of oxen attached to the two-wheeled cart, the wheels of which were about six feet in diameter, traveling through the mud road and at the rate of about three or four miles per hour, maybe not so fast, then he is suddenly confronted with a modern sign: "Speed limit thirty-five miles an hour."

Valuable is the man who realizes in the swift-moving, changing, age in which we live just what facts are constant and what things variable and how far they are variable. Constitution and laws must change to meet new conditions.

## OUR CHILDREN

By ANGELO PATRI

## SANTA CLAUS

I believe in Santa Claus. When I was a very little lad Santa came only once a year, on the mystical, long, long time he continued to appear on just that night and no other. I passed through the years and their white dust fell on my head. My eyes, trained now by much watching, brightened by tears and illumined by smiles began to discover hidden things. Santa appeared under all sorts of coverings, in all kinds of places, just when he was needed most. Almost the same jolly spirit bearing gifts and overflowing with loving-kindness.

It rained one day, a slow steady rain that toward evening settled into a downpour of silver gray water. "The fall rains," said the farmers in the ancient hills. "Strange how they never fail. Always before the frost seals the ground the rain soaks the earth and lets in enough water to do until spring comes." But the rains descended and the floods came; roaring down the hills, overflowing the valleys, drowning the rivers and sweeping away the homes of the people, even the cattle, down to the earth that fed them all. Everything went down with the flood except the everlasting rock, and Santa.

He came. Right on time. He sent telegrams of comfort and car loads of help. He came up out of the flooded valley with smiles on his face and hope in his heart and gifts in his pack. Hurrah for Old Santa.

A boy rode into the sky, a boy all alone, and flew across half the world in company with the moon—Santa. I know Santa went with him, 'twas his smile, 'twas his courage, 'twas his overflowing kindly spirit that the whole world saw in that boy when he came down to earth, his bird flight won. Don't tell me Santa didn't ride beside him. He never fails Youth, gallant, triumphant Youth or lonely, questing Youth. He is their special, particular, patron saint. More power to the jolly old spirit.

Even down to old age, his spirit goes with us. He releases the bonds of toil and puts peace in the hearts of the weary. He mellows the tart spirit of Too Many Birthdays and lets it play with little children, children young enough to cherish the toys their hands can hold and the sweets that their mouths can devour. Why not? You, too, had your Christmas wish and your Christmas feast and your Christmas longings. And you need never outgrow them, merely grow with them. Cherish the spirit of Santa.

Should the children know Santa? Well rather. How can they possibly live without him? I am not so sure of the department store Santa. For me a fairy is realer when he doesn't behave like a human being. But if another child likes his Santa another way, I wouldn't say he was mistaken. A flannel clad Santa can evolve into a beneficent spirit quite as well as any other. Here's to him whatever he wears, wherever he is, jolly Old Santa.

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## Why Mothers Get Gray



**Just Folks**  
by Edgar A. Guest

## THE VANISHED BOY

How the years go swinging by!  
Bud is asking for a tie,  
Books to read and shirts and hose,  
And a silk hat, I suppose,  
And the lad who yesterday  
Wanted toys and games to play,  
Battlecock and shuttlecock,  
Isn't with us any more.

Here is Christmas coming on  
And our little boy has gone.  
In his place a youth is there  
Wanting mannish things to wear.  
Where's the rascal anyway  
Who was here the other day  
Begging sleds and skates and drums  
Every year when Christmas comes?

We had planned for years, it seems,  
Just to gratify his dreams.  
We had fancied he would stay  
Young for many a Christmas day.  
Now he tells us, and we sigh,  
Toys for him we needn't buy.  
But a dress suit would be nice  
If we can afford the price.  
All too swiftly fly the years,

All too soon the man appears.  
Make the most of Christmas day,  
Doting parents, while you may,  
For the meriment won't last.  
Little tots grow very fast.  
Soon they'll say to your surprise,  
Give us books and shirts and ties!

## Dangerous Pilots

"Quack flyers are as dangerous as quack doctors, and flimsy planes as dangerous as ships with rotten hulls. There are certain schools of learning long on promises and short on ethics, known as diploma mills in aviation. Their graduates constitute a distinct menace to real air progress. So far it has not been possible to control the quack pilot at his source; hence it is necessary to step him at the field. Beware of the pilot who has no license and steer clear of the plane that lacks registration numerals on its wings."

This is testimony of F. Trubee Davidson, assistant secretary of the navy.

There are scores of these dangerous flyers throughout the country, at summer resorts and at roadside aviation fields. Mr. Davidson's remedy, forbidding unlicensed pilots to fly and calling for rigid inspection of machines, sounds like the best possible safeguard.

## Barbs By Tom Sims

Henry Ford the other day bought an old mill property up near Sudbury, Mass. Just another manufacturer trying to get a little publicity.

This country seems to be full of dignified, self-contained politicians who will refuse to accept the presidency unless they are elected.

Oh, what is so rare as a day in November, in the Arctic zone?

A Washington correspondent says Charles Evans Hughes isn't the man he was seven years ago. Neither is Lon Chaney.

Why is it that you never see two prize fighters evenly matched—dollar for dollar?

A woman is suing for divorce because her husband plays poker; another is suing because her husband won't play bridge. Men, you can't win.

If you don't believe we've had a fine administration the last few years you should read the president's Thanksgiving proclamation and grow wise.

## Little Benny's Note Book

by Lee Page

After supper pop leaned back in his private chair and blew out a lot of smoke, saying, "Ye gods wat a day, if anything didn't go wrong it must of happened to a couple of other fellows, not me. I feel like the last rose of summer going down for the 3rd and last time on the rock of the Hesperides, he sed."

Well G, pop, how about me? I sed.

You, your in the prime of youth and the pink of condition and the glow of happiness, wat can be the matter with you? pop sed.

Well G wizzickers, pop, I had a fearsome day, I had one of the fearsomest fearsome days I ever had, I sed.

When I woke up this morning I had a fearsome stummick ache and I had buckweak cakes for breakfast and I couldn't eat any because I didn't have the ambition, and ma gave me some fearsome medicine and made me go to skool jest a same.

That was a pritty tuff deal, I admit, pop sed, and I sed Well wait, G wizz the most is yet to come, I tripped over a stuck up brick on my way home for lunch and I skinned the skin off of one knee and got heck from ma for getting a hole in one of my new stockings and hardly any sympathy for the way my knee looked, and we had dixerz with wipp cream on it for lunch and I dropped my wipp cream on the floor trying to see if I could ballence it all on my spoon, and in the afternoon I got kepp after skool because Miss Kitty sed I didn't haff to sneeze that loud, and wen I came home I had to go on about 6 errands and if thas not a heck of a day wat is?

You win, pop sed. It takes the sufferings of others to make us appreciate our own good fortune, compared to you I feel like a butterfly thata bin fitting from flower to flower wissling the Blue Danube waltz and I think its my duty to help you share my blessings, theres a Kut Up Comedy around at the Little Grand, I believe, if we shake a leg maybe we can take in the first show before your bedtime, he sed.

Wich we did.

## In the Long Ago

14 Years Ago Today  
From the Register Files

December 23, 1913

Roy S. Horton returned from the University of California at Berkeley to spend the holidays with his parents here.

Sales at the Santa Ana post office reached \$385, the largest amount ever reached here in one day.

Leon Rice, noted New York tenor, was presented locally in a concert.

A committee including L. J. Carden, C. A. Riggs, and W. A. Huff was appointed to nominate members of the Associated Chambers of Commerce for the board of directors for 1928.

"The Rosary" was presented at the Grand Opera house.

It was announced that Orange county would be represented in the New Year's pageant by a float of oranges and roses to cost approximately \$250.

## One Year Ago Today

U. S. Marines landed in Nicaragua to protect American and foreign life and property.

## CURRENT COMMENT

By CHESTER H. ROWELL

SENATOR Robinson, Democratic leader, exonerates Senator Borah, La Follette, Norris and Heflin absolutely of all suspicion of ever having received or been offered any Mexican money, and the whole committee of investigation joins in the same conclusion. It was scarcely necessary. Nobody who knew anything of these Senators—and everybody knows about some of them—would think for a moment that any such thing could be true. The charge was too lurid even for fiction. There are plenty of questions to be cleared up yet about these alleged documents, but the guilt or innocence of these Senators is not among them.

THINK of the value of a reputation! There are people in the United States, as in all countries, of whom such a charge, if seriously made, would be believable, and would, therefore, call for some disproof. In the case of these Senators it disproved itself, by its very incredibility. Such reputations are made by a whole lifetime of upright conduct. When made they are invaluable.

EVERY once in a while a man arising from drunkenness is found the next morning to have been suffering really from a fractured skull. The symptoms are the same, and the moral usually drawn is that the police should be more careful. But is there not another moral? If the symptoms of concussion of the brain and of intoxication are the same, what does that mean as to the effect of alcohol on the brain? Evidently that it knocks it out, precisely like a blow severe enough to break the skull. Is that a desirable condition to invite for amusement?

PROFESSOR Titus of the University of California at Los Angeles estimates the present population of California at just over 5,000,000. Captain Robert Dollar estimates that it will ultimately be 10,000,000. Let us hope not, at least until the time comes when the good things of life can be better divided among so vast a population. If the fifty million can live as well and happily as the five millions now do, then that is ten times the amount of human good. But if the only advantage of a fifty million population is that a few of us can make more money out of it, while the rest are pressed down by their very numbers into a harder and less hopeful life, the total human result is loss, not gain.

FIVE millions, by the way, was the total number of people in the world who could speak English when Shakespeare wrote that language as no language has been written, before or since. And probably not over a million of those could read and write. Now the language is spoken by 200,000,000 people nearly all of whom can read. There are newspapers and writers now who address every day many times more people than Shakespeare could possibly have reached, by stage and by book, in his whole lifetime. But do the whole of them, in their millions of words and billions of copies, ever write one sentence like those which Shakespeare has left us by the thousands? Our progress that way is quantitative.

SOMEbody is threatening to run Will Rogers for the Senate. He won't run, of course; he has too much sense. But really, if we must send jokes to the Senate, wouldn't it be worth while for some State to pick Will and to send them a good one? There are plenty of States in which he could claim a residence whose present Senators are poor jokes.

IF YOU should advertise in the papers to give \$100 apiece to a thousand named individuals whenever every one of the thousand had sent in a postal asking for it, you would be perfectly safe. Even if all of the named persons lived in the community and read the papers, there would always be somebody who would fail to send in the card. This is doubtless part of the explanation of the failure of over

half a millions veterans to apply for the bonus which Congress voted to those who who served in the great war. Some of these, no doubt, are those who are opposed to the bonus, or, for one reason or another, do not want it. But the rest are just that fraction which always omits to do anything, even if it is to accept a welcome gift. Anyhow, if you have not sent in your application and want the bonus, do it this month.

BERKELEY service clubs are going to give a "Benjamin Ide Wheeler award" of a medal to the most distinguished citizen of Berkeley, as determined every two years. If that medal could have been offered during his lifetime only one name would have been considered for its first award, and that would have been President Wheeler himself, for whom the medal is named. Few men have ever more impressed a community, an institution and a State. There will be few after him who could wear the distinction as worthily.

## Today's Anniversaries

1788—Commodore Thomas Macdonough, whose victory on Lake Champlain saved New York from a British invasion, born at New Castle, Del. Died at sea, Nov. 1, 1825.

1814—Congress passed an act increasing the postage rates of 1799 fifty per cent.

1852—The Chinese rebels captured and sacked the city of Har Yang.

1861—The funeral of the Prince Consort took place at St. George Chapel, Windsor.

1877—M. Caillaet announced to the French academy that he had liquified oxygen.

1879—A British force under Gen. Roberts and Gough defeated an army of 5,000 Afghans.

1890—Henry B. Brown of Michigan was appointed an associate justice of the Supreme Court of the United States.

1925—The United States and Mexico signed a new anti-smuggling and extradition treaty.

## Today's Birthdays

Edwin T. Meredith, former Secretary of Agriculture and mentioned as "dry" candidate for Democratic presidential nomination, born at Avoca, Iowa, 51 years ago today.

Dr. Henry P. Walcott, at one time acting president of Harvard College, born at Salem, Mass., years ago today.

Connie Mack (Cornelius McGillicuddy), head of the Philadelphia American League baseball club born at East Brookfield, Mass., years ago today.

Al Thomas, speedy pitcher of the Chicago American League baseball club, born in Baltimore, 23 years ago today.

## LITTLE JOE

IT'S YOUR OWN FAULT IF SUCCESS LOOKS YOU OVER, AND THEN OVERLOOKS YOU.



## The Sunday Feeling

By SHIRLEY RODMAN WILLIAMS

DO you get the Sunday Feeling at your house, that drowsy well-f-d feel after Sunday dinner? What do you do then, do you just give in to it and get dumpy? More important yet, what do the children do Sunday afternoon? Have they interesting games and books or do they fret about or seek interests other homes? Sunday afternoon is an excellent time to build up family companionships, to get acquainted with each other and make an extra special effort to build the home feeling to be carried with them when the years come to be aw

AFTERNOONS on Sunday days  
'Round our house there comes a-stealing  
Over all our rooms and folks  
Such a lazy, sleepy feeling.

Mother writes to family folks  
Daddy takes his pipe and smokes  
Sort of dozing in his chair  
With his paper lying there,  
It even seems the mantle clock  
Goes a slower tickery-tock.

Kitty gray curls up and snoozes  
On some cushion that she chooses,  
Tiggy Bird is fluffed up cozy  
Swinging lazy-like and dozy,  
John and I read books and funnies  
On the hearth flat on our tummies.

It's so pleasant being there,  
With the drowsiness a-stealing—  
Then we take a nice long walk  
To shake off that Sunday feeling.

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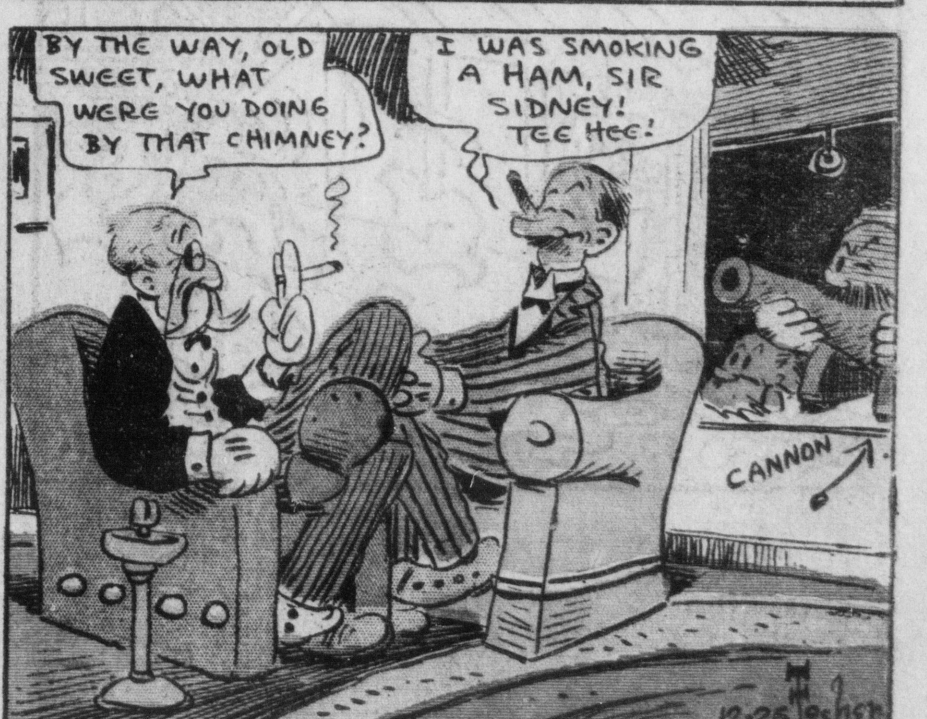


Santa Ana, California, Sunday,  
December 25, 1927

## MUTT AND JEFF

## 'Twas Christmas Eve

By BUD FISHER





THE SMITH'S BABY HAS  
DISAPPEARED

# TOONERVILLE FOLKS

BY  
FONTAINE FOX

TOONERVILLE FOLKS

Lost and Found

Fontaine Fox

"I NEVER SAW SUCH A MESS!"

"KATRINKA I WANT YOU TO GATHER UP ALL THAT PAPER AND STUFF IN THE LIVING ROOM AND THROW IT ACROSS THE ROAD"

"KATRINKA, WHERE IS BABY? I THOUGHT HE WAS WITH YOU"

"GERALD! OH BABY! BABY GERALD!"

"YOUR CHILD IS LOST AND YOU SIT AND READ!"

"PUT DOWN THAT HORN AND HELP LOOK FOR YOUR BABY BROTHER!"

"DIDN'T YOU JUST SEE ME LOOK UNDER THERE"

"THAT CHILD CAN'T WALK. HE COULDN'T GET AWAY UNLESS...HE'S BEEN KIDNAPPED!"

"NOW WOT IS THAT BABY DOING THERE"





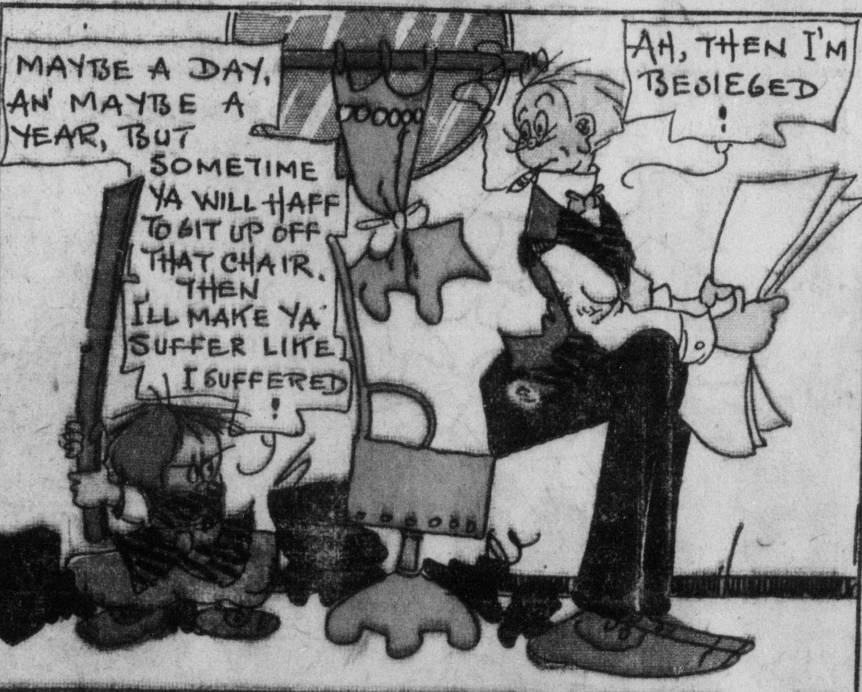


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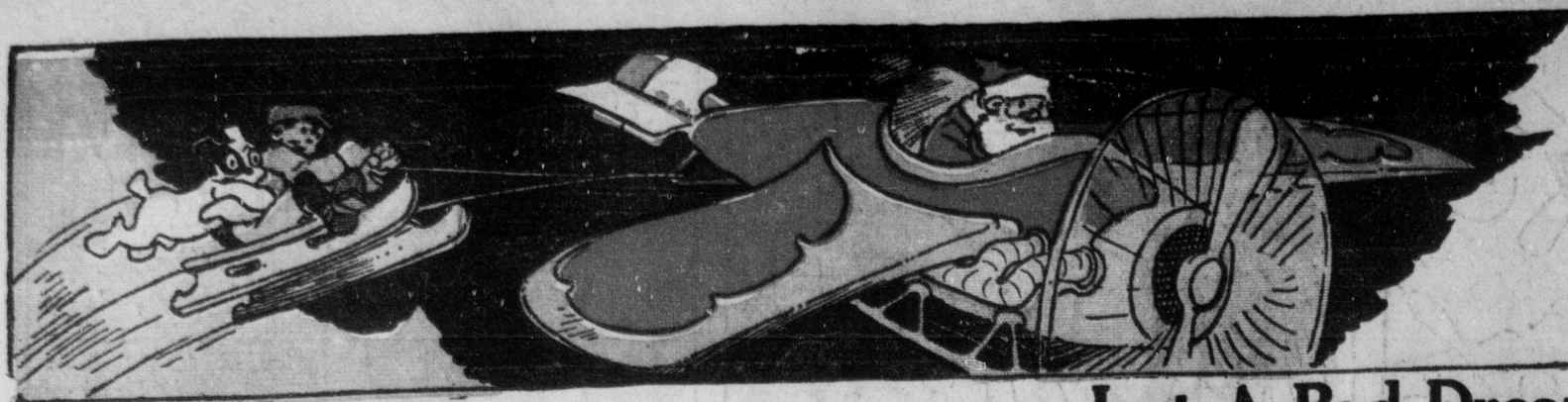
A Cake-Eater's Quandary

By C. M. PAYNE

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# THE NEBBS

By Sol Hess

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### Just A Bad Dream

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